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of Henrico County, Virginia

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The Curd Family in America

PREFACE *by* FRANK D. FULLER

In compiling this record of the Curd Family in America we have had use of the information gathered by various members of the "Curd Clan" and wish to express our appreciation of the valuable assistance rendered. Where so many have cooperated it is impossible to name each, but we feel that this record would not be complete without our calling attention to the splendid assistance rendered by Mrs. Jessamine Bland James of Tucson, Arizona, granddaughter of the late Alexander Curd, who furnished the writer with the very complete record of the descendants of John and Joseph Curd gathered by her grandfather, and to Mrs. Lucy Price Rayne Truog, author of *Curd and Allied Families*, who very kindly permitted the use of her record of James Curd and his descendants.

In the main, however, we have based our records, particularly those of the first five generations, almost entirely on Court, Bible and Cemetery records. Careful and exhaustive research has been made in every county in Virginia and Kentucky in which a Curd is known to have lived.

With one or two exceptions no attempt has been made to go beyond the children of the sixth generation. Many omissions will be noted and probably some errors, but in the main the record will be found fairly complete and accurate.

Between 1780 and 1820 most of the Curds left Virginia, a large percentage going to Kentucky from which place their descendants have spread all over the South and West.

Every Kentucky Curd who is at all familiar with family tradition will tell one that Joseph Curd of Edinburgh, Scotland, married Janet Bain and had a son Dr. Thomas S. Curd, who married Kathleen Price and emigrated to America with his family, settling in Goochland Co., Virginia, some time between 1720 and 1740, and that this Dr. Thomas S. Curd is the ancestor of that numerous body of Curds who later removed from Virginia to

Kentucky and were active in founding several of the early Kentucky settlements.

From whence this tradition originated we have been unable to ascertain but most diligent and painstaking search of the Kentucky and Virginia records fails to disclose any record whatsoever of any such person as Dr. Thomas S. Curd, while on the other hand there is definite and positive proof that all early Virginia Curds and probably all the Curds in America are descended from Edward Curd, the immigrant ancestor who came to Henrico Co., Virginia in 1704, probably from England,* though family tradition says the Curds are of Scotch descent.

The early Virginia Curds were prominent in the military affairs of their respective communities, most of the men being at one time or another officers in the local Militia. Four of the five sons of John Curd, son of the first Edward, saw service in the Revolution, two serving in the Continental Army in Virginia and two in the wilderness of Kentucky.

Later descendants saw service in the War of 1812, others went to Mexico in 1846, and when war came between the states there was not a Curd family in the south that did not have one or more sons go forth to battle for the Confederacy, many never to return.

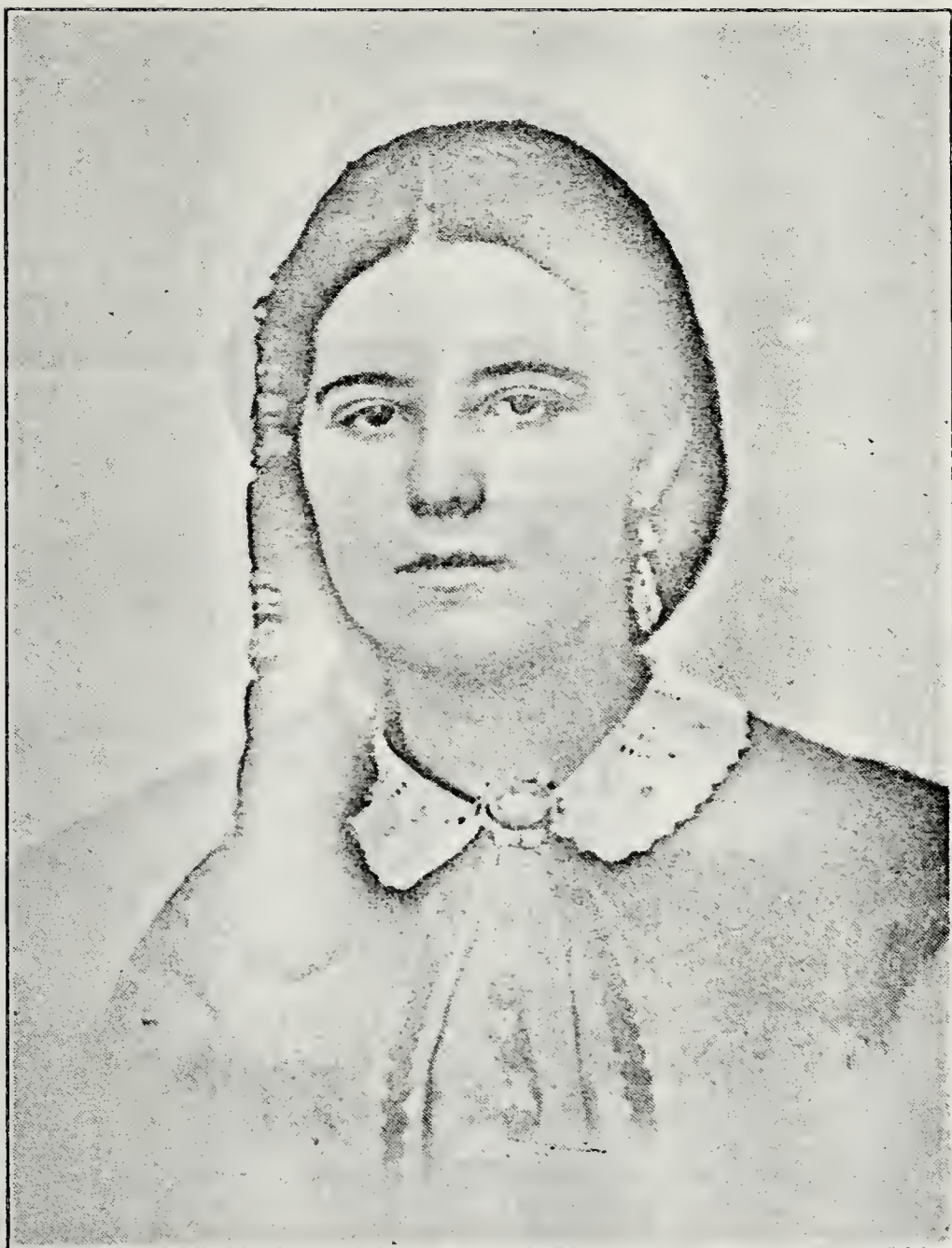
I wish to express my appreciation to Mrs. Ruth McLean Gordon of Beaumont, Texas, and Judge Thomas Henry Shelton Curd of Welch, West Virginia, who are responsible for this record being printed.

FRANK D. FULLER

Memphis, Tenn.

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*We find a number of Curds of record in Middlesex and adjoining counties in England about the time Edward Curd came to America.

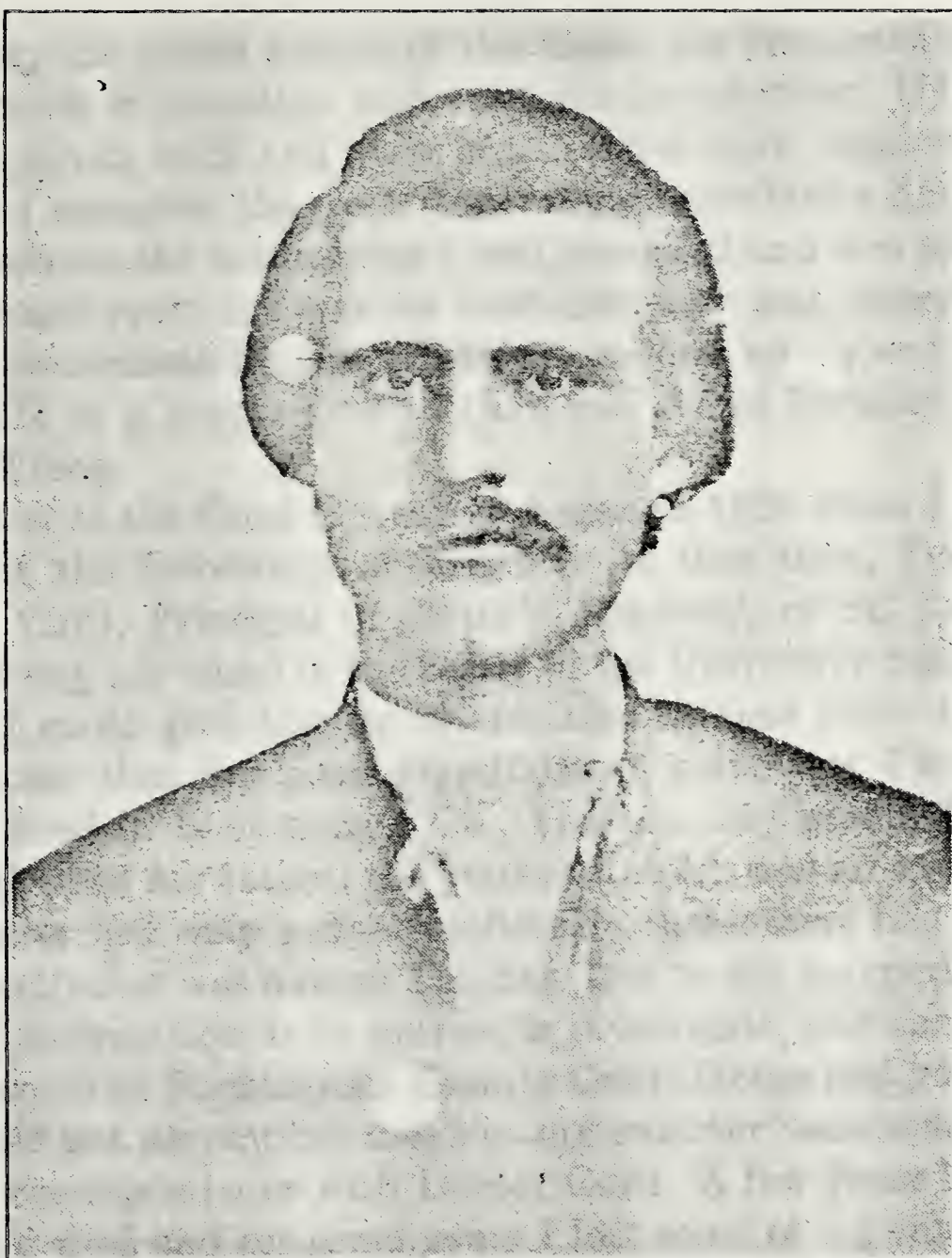


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Father of Thomas H. S. Curd

Introduction

By THOMAS H. S. CURD

Mr. Fuller, the actual author of this book, has requested that I affix my name as co-author and write the introduction. He has done all the detail work and most of the other work required to assemble and complete the data. The family owes him a debt of gratitude because the manuscript I had compiled and was about to publish some years ago was far from complete and, except as to my own immediate branch, contained several errors and was intended only as a supplement to *Curd and Allied Families*, by Mrs. Emil Truog.

My interest in the Curd Genealogy began in 1905 when I was a student at the University of Virginia. At that time, Doctor Charles P. Curd, Principal of Smith's Academy, of St. Louis, Missouri, seeing my name in the roster of the University catalog, wrote me. I could give him no information at that time. I did not even know that my great-grandfather's name was Thomas or that he lived in Buckingham Co., Virginia. My grandfather, Albert, died when my father, the youngest child, was six months old. The latter had only a dim recollection that others had told him his grandfather was named Thomas. Due to my inexperience and lack of information as to sources to investigate, and the fact that the records of Buckingham County Court House had burned in 1869, I did not accomplish much in my summer vacations following my correspondence with Doctor Curd. A few years later, Doctor Curd died and for some years I lost some of my interest until W. B. Curd, of Hannibal, Missouri, wrote me. I worked some more with him until he died, and thereafter for a time I collaborated with B. S. Curd, also of Missouri, who inspired me with further interest, but fate overtook me again and B. S. Curd died.

For many years I could not trace my line because I could not get further back than Thomas, of Buckingham County. In 1915 I was still investigating in Goochland Co., Virginia. As I was about to leave the Court House there, the Clerk of the Court, Peter G.

Miller, who was also related to the Curd family, showed me a memorandum he had taken from the flyleaf of the book *Josephus* twenty years before at the house of W. E. Shaw of Buckingham Court House. Because this memorandum contains information that may be of interest to others, I copy it here in full:

Presented to Edward W. Curd by Thomas Curd.

Edward W. Curd, son of Edward Curd, was born 1806 and was married the 21st day of October, 1830, to Ann Jane Watkins of Cumberland, and they had a son in 1835, the 10th day of July, which was born dead, and my wife, Ann Jane, professed religion the 3rd day of September, and I, Edward W. Curd, professed religion in the month of September, 1832, and both of us, Edward W. Curd and my wife, were baptised the 10th day of October, 1832. My wife, Ann Jane, was born in 1811, the 19th day of October. My father, Edward Curd, died at the White Sulphur Springs the 30th day of August, 1835, of a Sunday, at about five o'clock P. M. and was born April 13, 1766.

My father, Edward Curd's, funeral was preached by Kirk Patrick, a Presbyterian, contrary to the wishes of many of his children as they wished a Baptist to preach his funeral. His text was the 39th Psalm, 4th and 5th verses—'Lord, make me to know mine end, and the measure of my days, what it is; that I may know how frail I am.'

Ann Jane lost her second son May 24th, 1838.

Edward W. Curd.

On page 726 of *Josephus* is the following:

Edward Curd and Elizabeth Curd was married in the year of our Lord 1783.

Mary Curd, daughter of them, was born November 11th, 1783.

Thomas Curd was born April 29th, 1786, of a Saturday.

Edward Curd.

John Curd was born April 15th, 1789, of a Wednesday.

Patsy Curd was born January 13th, 1792, of a Friday.

Faney Curd was born October —, 1795, of a Thursday.

Elizabeth Curd was born April 26th, 1798.

Gean Curd was born August 17th, 1800.

Edward Watkins Curd was born November 2nd, 1806.

I had previously examined the land grants in Richmond and the records of Henrico County and ascertained that Edward of Buckingham, above referred to, had moved from Henrico and was the son of William Curd, an officer in the Revolutionary War.

By the above information I had therefore connected myself with a Revolutionary soldier, but was not able to determine whose son William was. I had been told by Doctor Charles P. Curd, W. B. Curd and B. S. Curd, and supposed from the information contained in Mrs. Truog's book, that Doctor Thomas S. Curd was the original ancestor in America. I could never find that any such person ever existed, but everything pointed to one Edward as the original ancestor. And so the matter stood until Mr. Fuller communicated with me and he found other records which carried my line back to this Edward and proved him to be the original ancestor, but the question still remained of vital interest to me as to what became of the descendants of all those people mentioned on the flyleaf of the book *Josephus*, other than myself and immediate family. From my investigation over a period of twenty-five years I knew all the people in the state of Virginia bearing the name Curd, and none except myself and my immediate family were connected with those on the flyleaf.

In 1930 the rector of our church in Welch became the rector of the Episcopal church at the Greenbrier Hotel, White Sulphur Springs, West Virginia, and after being there a mere two weeks he received an inquiry about the Curds from Mrs. W. D. Gordon of Beaumont, Texas, addressed "To the Rector of the Episcopal Church" at that point. Not knowing any other persons by the name of Curd, the rector sent this letter to me. Correspondence with Mrs. Gordon developed the fact that she too had the information shown on the flyleaf and that she was the granddaughter of the Jane Curd mentioned thereon. Hence, knowing that her great-grandfather, Edward Curd, had died at White Sulphur Springs, which she frequently visited, she was inquiring of the rector as to what the Greenbrier Hotel register and the cemetery there might show.

From Mrs. Gordon I have learned of various families in Virginia and elsewhere who are descended from those mentioned on the flyleaf of *Josephus* but they do not bear the name Curd, they descended from the female lines. Some of these are the Cosbys of Halifax County; Mrs. Murray McGuire, wife of a prominent Richmond Attorney; Mrs. Edgar Allen, of Washington, D. C., wife of an assistant to the Attorney General of the United States in the settlement of the boundary dispute between Mexico and Texas.

In this book we have not undertaken to list the female lines except in some instances, as in the case of Mrs. Gordon and myself, in which instances we have been able to get the information easily.

Mrs. Edgar Allen gave me the following description and information relative to the Curd Coat-of-Arms:

Barry of six, or golden azure on a chief or (gold), a demi-eagle displayed sable. Crest: out of a ducal coronet or a demi unicorn argent, armed and crined or (gold), motto; *gardez la loi*.

Edward Curd of Buckingham County is reputed to have been a man of considerable wealth. In addition to land and slaves inherited from his father William, his wife, Elizabeth Cherraun, a French Huguenot, had considerable means of her own. He was one of the few in his day who had a coach with six and outriders. This he used every year, according to the information which I obtained from Mrs. Gordon, to convey himself and his family to White Sulphur Springs.

The town of Curdsville where Edward lived was named for his father William Curd by Peter Francisco, a Portugese giant. Peter was the Alvin York of the Revolutionary War, whom William befriended. Without means and desiring to emigrate to this country, Peter had obligated himself to be bound out to work out his passage, but William Curd saw him after he had been bound to Colonel Anthony Winston, concluded that he was too fine a man to be thus enslaved, paid off his bondage, set him free and gave him forty acres of land, out of his plantation "Woodlawn." Peter set up a blacksmith shop around which a little town grew up and he named this town Curdsville in honor of his friend and benefactor. According to tradition, and the inscription on a monument at Guilford Court House, Peter killed single handed with his sword eleven British soldiers in the battle at Guilford Court House. He is reputed to have lifted one man in each arm at the same time, and set them on a platform five feet high in front of him. An ordinary man could not wield with both hands his sword, which is now in the museum in Richmond, Virginia. On one occasion a gentleman from Kentucky, having heard of the prowess of Peter as a wrestler, came all the way to Curdsville, Virginia, for a match. Peter invited him to the basement to partake of some wine. The stranger drew his wine into a small

container from which he drank, but Peter lifted the whole fifty-gallon barrel and drank out of the bung hole, and when he had finished drinking, the stranger had disappeared. Many other are the traditions and stories about Peter Francisco, which would take too much space here to relate.

I have heard the story related below from so many different sources, that I am sure that people bearing the name of Curd will be interested to hear it. I quote the story in full as recently published in the Richmond Times Dispatch:

Colonel Joseph B. Johnston, of Richmond, tells the following delightful story of the days of old:

On those occasions known in Virginia as "court days," Confederate veterans who gathered at the various county seats often sat together on the goods boxes in front of stores and told of their experiences in the war. One of those veterans was John R. Curd, of Buckingham county, and it was generally agreed that this tale as told by him was without equal.

"It was in one of the last battles," said John R. Curd. "I had just killed a great number of Yankees, more than I could count, and had captured from them a large quantity of guns and ammunition. I continued slaying as fast as I could shoot my muskets and I used several of these weapons because they became so hot that I had to change them every minute or two.

"I was thus engaged when who should ride up but General Robert E. Lee.

"He said:

" 'John R. Curd, of Buckingham! Cease firing. I am sick of bloodshed and carnage.'

"I turned around and said: 'General, don't bother me now. Let me alone and in a few minutes I will kill them all.' "

At this point in the story one wonders what the reply of General Lee was. Our curiosity is satisfied as Mr. Curd concludes his story.

"Looking me squarely in the eyes, General Lee said, 'John R. Curd, of Buckingham, don't call me General, call me Bob.' "

I here want to express my deep appreciation to Mrs. W. D. Gordon and Mrs. Edgar Allen for the great assistance rendered in giving me many leads for sources of information, and to the many other people bearing the name Curd, quite a number of whom have passed beyond, for their help, encouragement and inspiration, without which this book would not have been possible.

As a token of the love and affection which I have for my mother, who is now an old lady nearly ninety years of age, and my father, who died at the age of eighty-nine, I am asking Mr. Fuller's permission to reproduce somewhere in this volume their photographs taken about the time of their marriage.

THOS. H. S. CURD

Welch, West Virginia
January 1938

Abbreviations

b.—born

d.—died

m.—married

dau.—daughter

abt.—about

g. s.—gravestone

Co.—County

Explanations

The plan of tracing descent adopted in this volume is that which is in common use by genealogists and is easily understood. Edward Curd, the immigrant ancestor, is given the number One and each succeeding Curd is numbered consecutively with Arabic numbers and the children of each head of a family numbered with Roman numerals.

The *plus* sign before individual numbers indicates the head of a family and the continuation of his record further on.

The sons of the third generation who married and had children are made the heads of groups and the genealogy of each group is completed by itself. Where the information was available the sons of each group are made heads of families.

In the main we have not tried to go beyond the children of the sixth generation, our intention being to bring the generations near enough for Curds of the present day to be able to trace their descent.

The book is completely indexed both as to Curds and other names mentioned in the genealogy.

Explanation of Group Arrangement

THIRD AND SUCCEEDING GENERATIONS

Sons of the third generation who married and had children are made the heads of groups and the genealogy of each group is completed by itself. The daughters are carried forward for only one generation, if at all. The groups are as follows:

Group Number	Individual Number		Lineage		
1	8	Edward ³	Edward ²	Edward ¹	
2	9	John ³	John ²	Edward ¹	
3	10	William ³	John ²	Edward ¹	
4	11	Joseph ³	John ²	Edward ¹	
5	13	Charles ³	John ²	Edward ¹	
6	14	James ³	John ²	Edward ¹	
7	18	Edmund ³	Richard ²	Edward ¹	

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8	759	Richard Curd of McMinn Co., Tenn.
9	791	Abraham F. Curd of Tennessee

EDWARD CURD

of Henrico County, Virginia, and Some of His Descendants

1. EDWARD CURD, immigrant ancestor, probably ancestor of all those named Curd in America, was in Henrico Co., Va., as early as 1704, where on October second of that year he "Purchased of John Woodson for 30£ currency, six hundred acres of land on the north side of the James River, adjoining land formerly James Blairs' and being part of a greater tract granted John Woodson, Jr. by patent dated October 23, 1690."* The following year, 1705, he was assessed and paid taxes on this six hundred acres.† Between 1716 and 1725 he received various land grants on the north side of James River in that part of Henrico Co. that was cut off in 1728 to form Goochland Co. There was granted to him October 31, 1716, 531 acres north side James River, west side north branch Beaver Dam Creek (Book 10, p. 307), February 2, 1724, 1200 acres north side James River (Book 12, p. 130), February 2, 1724, 341 acres north side James River on Beaver Dam Creek (Book 12, p. 131), August 17, 1725, 400 acres on Beaver Dam Creek (Book 12, p. 238). In the next few years he deeded most of his Goochland Co. lands to his children. June 6, 1726, he deeds to his son John, for "love and affection," part of the 531-acre tract on Beaver Dam Creek;‡ November 7, 1726, he deeds to his daughter Mary McBride land lying on the north side of James River;‡ July 16, 1733, he deeds 200 acres in Goochland Co. to each of his daughters, Mary Richardson and Elizabeth Williams;** November 20, 1733, he deeds 650 acres in Goochland Co. to his son Richard.** In his will he gives 100 acres in Goochland Co. to his granddaughter Jane McBride and all of his remaining holdings in Goochland to his son Edward. All of his children, Edward excepted, eventually went to Goochland Co. to

**Valentine Papers*, p. 1978.

†Henrico Quit Rent Rolls, 1705; *Va. Hist. Mag.*, Vol. XXVIII, p. 210.

‡Henrico County deeds.

**Goochland County deeds.

live. In the vestry book of the Henrico Parish Church, later the St. John's Church of Richmond, we find the following records:*

At a vestry held at Curl's Neck Ch. for Henrico Parish ye 17th day June 1735. Present, Wm. Randolph, Esq., Richard Randolph, Bowler Cocke, James Powell Cocke, Gent. Vestrymen: Pursuant to the Directions of an Act of Assembly directing the dividing of Henrico Parish, the Freeholders and Householdors present do unanimously elect Edward Curd, John Williamson, James Cocke, John Povall, and Robt. Moss, by which the Vestrymen formerly of this Parish make up the number of twelve who take Oaths and Declarations as Vestrymen.†

Oaths signed Edward Curd, first and others. September 2, 1735: "Richard Randolph and Edward Curd, Gent. are appointed to view the Chappell and report what reparation and addition are thereunto wanting."‡ July 26, 1743, "Beverly Randolph takes oath as vestryman in place of Edward Curd, deceased: as chosen October 2nd, 1742."

Edward Curd died 1742. The Henrico Co. December Court, 1742, appoints John Williamson, Thomas Watkins, Daniel Price and James Young to appraise estate of Edward Curd, deceased. Will dated February 4, 1739/40, proved first Monday in December 1742, names the following: wife Elizabeth Curd, son Edward Curd, son John Curd, son Richard Curd, Mary Mackbride and her son Edward Mackbride, daughter-in-law (step-daughter) Mary Punch, grandson John Curd, granddaughter Jane Mackbride, daughter Mary Richardson, daughter Elizabeth Williams. Names wife Elizabeth and son Edward Curd executors. Edward's will leaves the home plantation and dwelling in Henrico to wife Elizabeth during her life. "Son, Edward to have half of everything during Elizabeth's life, and at her death the whole of said Henrico estate." Son Edward is also given all lands "now possessed of" in Goochland Co., excepting 100 acres which goes to granddaughter Jane Mackbride.

*Records at Alexandria, Va., also *Kith and Kin*, p. 17.

†The Virginia Colonists were adherents of the Church of England. The Parish vestry consisted of twelve of the most prominent and substantial men of the Parish and divided with the court the responsibility for the public welfare of their respective communities.

‡At a vestry meeting for Henrico Parish Oct. 8, 1737, Thomas Williamson gave land for the erection of a church; this was the origin of the present St. John's church which was moved to its present site in Richmond Oct. 13, 1746. *Va. Hist. Mag.*, Vol. VI, p. 78.

The name of Edward's first wife, the mother of his children, is not known. He m. second Elizabeth Branch, dau. of Thomas Branch and Elizabeth Archer, widow first of Robert Goode whom she m. in 1710 and who d. 1718, widow second of Page Punch, who d. 1726-27. Elizabeth d. November 30, 1766. In the *Goode Genealogy* (Virginia Cousins) Elizabeth Branch is erroneously referred to as a Curd.* In the Henrico Co. Record Books 1767-1774 we find the following: page 138, May 24, 1749, John Curd and Elizabeth his wife acknowledge to have received of the executors of Edward Curd deceased "our full share of the estate of the said deceased," Richard Curd witness. Page 139, May 20, 1749, John Richardson and Mary his wife make similar acknowledgment, Richard Curd and Isham Richardson witnesses. Page 139, May 24, 1749, Richard Curd and Sarah his wife make similar acknowledgment, John Curd witness. Page 140, June 3, 1749, Samuel Allen and Elizabeth his wife make similar acknowledgment, John Curd witness. All of the above were recorded June 5, 1769.

WILL OF EDWARD CURD

(Henrico Co., Va., Unindexed Records, Vol. IV, 1650 to 1807, p. 1177)

In the name of God amen I Edward Curd being in perfect memory make this as my last will and Testament which I Desire To be taken of before or after my Decease and no alteration to be made more than what is herein mentioned. I Do hereby make my Loving wife Elizabeth Curd and my Son Edward Curd to be Executors of this my last will and Testament—

Item. I give unto my Loving wife During life my Dwelling house and all belonging thereunto as household goods furniture, hogs Cattle and all belonging to the sd. plantation likewise the Land thereunto adjoining only I Desire that my Son Edward Curd may have the half of everything and of produce thereunto belonging During my s^d wifes life and after her Decease I give the whole which my S^d wife has been pofes with To my belov^d Son Edward Curd and his heirs Forever.

Item. I also give unto my belov'd wife During life four negroes Jemimy, Seager, Befs, Sarah being Befs child, During her life and after her Decease to return to my beloved Son Edward Curd.

**William and Mary Quarterly*, Vol. XXV, p. 66-67.

- Item. I also give unto my beloved Son Edw^d Curd Eight negroes Phill Will Moll Great Joe for Tom Young Jack and Nancy being Mols children.
- Item. I also give unto my Son Edward Curd all the Land I now stand pofest with in Goochland County.
- Item. I give unto my Son John Curd two negroes Pompy and Dinah.
- Item. I give unto my son Richard Curd two Negroes old Pompy and Judea.
- Item. I give To Mary Mackbride one negroe named Jack, During Life and after her Deceafe to whence to her son Edward Mackbride
- Item. I give To my Daughter in law Mary Punch one negroe named — also the Colt that came of the new York mare, also Eight Pound Sterling likewise Feather Bed and Furniture — Stands above Stairs in the new houle.
- Item. I give to my Grandson John Curd one negroe named Agie.
- Item. I give unto my Grandaughter Jane Mackbride one hundred acres of Land lying in Goochland County Which I have Doctor Hopkins bond for.
- Item. I give to my Daughter Mary Richardson one shilling.
- Item. I give to Elizabeth Williams my Daughter one shilling. Which if same being my laf will and Testament I desire the within mentioned after my Deceafe To be fullfilled In Witnefs thereof I have hereunto Set my hand

Edward Curd

Dated Feb. 4, 1739/40

Witnefs

James Young

John Gunn

Jofeph Tscheflely

At a Court held for Henrico County the first Monday in Dec. 1742 This Will was presented by the Executors therein Named upon oath and it being proved by the Oath of John Gun and James Young two of the witnefs thereto was ordered to be Recorded.

Test. Bowler Cocke, Clk.

CHILDREN—CURD

- + 2. i. Edward², m. and had issue.
- + 3. ii. John², m. Elizabeth Price, dau. of Daniel Price. He d. in Goochland Co., 1752, and his widow m. (2) Sept. 3, 1758, Richard Oglesby.
- + 4. iii. Richard², m. Sarah Downer, dau. of John Downer. He d. in Goochland Co., 1778.

- + 5. iv. Mary², m. John McBride. Settled in Goochland Co.
- + 6. v. Mary², d. Charlotte Co., Va., 1791; m. John Richardson.
- 7. vi. Elizabeth², m. (1) Richard (?) Williams; m. (2) Samuel Allen.

That Edward Curd had two daughters each named Mary and both living at the time of his death is shown by his will.

SECOND GENERATION

2. EDWARD² CURD (Edward¹). The compilers have been unable to find the marriage record or name of wife of this Edward Curd. As far as known he had an only son named Edward; it is possible, however, that he may have had other children but we find no record of any. We know that he inherited his father's home place near Richmond and lived there until his death, probably prior to 1762; that he patented 294 acres of land on Chickahominy River March 20, 1745; and that he also owned land in Goochland Co. After his father's death he is called Edward Senior in the Henrico Co. records. He was commissioned captain of militia October 1, 1743.

CHILD—CURD

- + 8. i. Edward³, m. Mary Morris, dau. of William Morris. He d. prior to 1784, when his widow m. (2) Joseph Lewis. This Edward's children are known from their mother's will, dated Dec. 5, 1799, proved June 6, 1803.

3. JOHN² CURD (Edward¹), d. Goochland Co., Va., 1752; m. Elizabeth Price, dau. of Daniel Price and his wife Mary, surname unknown but perhaps Hughes. Division of his estate, dated January 16, 1759, names wife Elizabeth and the following children: John, William, Joseph, Mary, Charles, James, Elizabeth and Ann.* Elizabeth, John Curd's widow, m. (2) September 3, 1758, Richard Oglesby.

DIVISION OF ESTATE JOHN CURD, DECEASED GOOCHLAND COUNTY VA. JANUARY 16, 1759

In obedience to an Order of Goochland Court we have assigned to Elizabeth Curd widow of John Curd, Dec'd her dower of the

*Goochland County Court records.

said Decedants estate and divided the remainder among the orphans of the said Decedant in manner following, vizt.

To the aforesaid Elizabeth Curd we have assigned three negro's namely Dinah a Wench, Jenny a Wench & Harry a Boy, as her full & Equal third part of all the negroes 58—4—5 after paying her acct agst the said estate of 12—5—9 as her full third part of the chattels.

To John Curd Orphan of the said Decedant we have assigned a negro girl named Hannah and a negro Boy named Quality, provided he pay to Elizabeth his sister Ten Shillings Currt. Money on Demand.

To William Curd orphan of the Decedant we have assigned a negro man named Jo Provided he pay Elizabeth his sister sixteen pounds & unto James his brother seven pounds ten shillings on Demand.

To Joseph Curd we have assigned a negro woman named Sarah provided he pays his brother James three pounds ten shillings on Demand.

To Mary Curd orphan &c. we have assigned a negro woman named Nan provided she pay her brother James ten shillings & her sister Ann three pounds on Demand.

To Charles Curd orphan &c. we have assigned a negro man named Will Provided he pay unto his sister Ann thirteen pounds ten shillings upon Demand.

To James Curd Orphan &c. we have assigned a negro girl named Rachel & one Negro boy named George and that he receive seven pounds ten shillings from his Brother William & three pounds ten shillings from his Brother Joseph & ten shillings from his sister Mary.

To Elizabeth Curd Orphan &c., we have assigned one negro boy named Louis and one negro girl named Almy and that she receive ten shillings from her Brother John and sixteen pounds from her Brother William.

To Ann Curd Orphan &c. we have assigned one Negro Boy named Jack and that she receive thirteen pounds ten shillings from her Brother William, And to each of the orphans aforesaid we have assigned fourteen pounds Eleven Shillings one penny half penny as their equal parts of the personal estate of the Decedant after paying the administrator's acct. agst. the said estate of twelve pounds five shillings & nine pence half penny a pr. acct. annexed.

Signed: Will^m Miller
 Joseph Pollard
 Richd. Pleasants

At a Court held for Goochland County January the 16th, 1759.

This division of the Goods and Chattels, rights & credits of John Curd decd. was presented into court and ordered to be recorded.

Teste:

Val. Wood Cl. Cur.

Deed & Will Book No. 7, p. 336.

CHILDREN—CURD

- + 9. i. John³, m. in Lancaster Co., Va., Apr. 7, 1758, Lucy Brent; removed to Kentucky abt. 1780.
- + 10. ii. William³, m. (1) abt. 1763, Mary Watkins, m. (2) Ann, surname unknown; removed to Buckingham Co., Va., where he d. abt. 1798.
- + 11. iii. Joseph³, m. (1) Sept. 28, 1762, Mary Warren, m. (2) Oct. 6, 1772, Mary Truehart; removed to Buckingham Co., Va., where he d. abt. 1811-12.
- 12. iv. Mary³, m. Mar. 18, 1764, Edmund Curd, son of Richard Curd and Sarah Downer, d. in Goochland Co.
- + 13. v. Charles³, removed to Kentucky prior to 1778; d. there prior to 1788.
- + 14. vi. James³, m. Feb. 20, 1766, Mary Graves; he lived and d. in Goochland Co., Va. Inventory dated 1792.
- 15. vii. Elizabeth³, m. Dec. 2, 1764, John Bowles.
- 16. viii. Ann³, m. Nov. 24, 1771, Richard Sampson.

4. RICHARD² CURD (Edward¹), d. Goochland Co., Va., 1778; m. Sarah Downer, dau. of John Downer of Caroline Co., Va. Will dated June 22, 1778, proved October 19, 1778, names wife Sarah and nine children: Ann Redford, Edmund Curd, Mary Perkins, Sary Bowles, Elizabeth Underwood, Lucy Watkins, Frances Curd, Susanna Pollock and Ann Williams Curd. Sons, Edmund Curd and George Underwood named Executors, signed in the presence of Thomas Hatcher, John Curd and William Thurston. Sarah, widow of Richard Curd, d. between 1792 and 1795. Will dated September 14, 1792, proved July 20, 1795. Estate left to daughter Susanna Pollock. George Underwood named executor, signed in presence of Richard Underwood and John Bowles.

WILL OF RICHARD CURD

Dated June 22, 1778

In the name of God Amen. I Richard Curd of Goochland County & Parrish of St. James Northam being sick but of Sound mind and

memory but calling to mind the uncertainty of Life do make this my Last will and Testament and desire it may be received by all men as such, in the first place I recommend my Soul to the Almighty God who gave it me in hopes of his glorious acceptance of the same. After all my just debts are paid, which I desire they may, I will and Dispose of my estate in the following manner.

Item. It is my will and desire that the whole of my Negroes to be equally divided between my nine children after mentioned, Viz. Ann Redford, Edmund Curd, Mary Perkins, Sary Bowles, Elizabeth Underwood, Lucy Watkins, Frances Curd, Suzanna Pollock and Ann Williams Curd to be Equally Divided at the Decease of my beloved wife Sarah Curd they and their increase to my aforesaid nine children & their heirs forever.

Item. I Lend to my Beloved Wife Sarah Curd half the Tract of Land I now live on Including the house & Plantation with all the Stock and household Furniture during her natural Life or Widowhood, the other part of my said Land I give to my son Edmund Curd to him and his heirs forever and at the Decease of my Wife Sarah Curd my will and Desire is that the other half of the said Tract of Land called the Piney Woods Tract my wife should have the use of During her natural Life or widowhood and after her Decease or Marriage to be equally Divided between my Daughters Mary Perkins, Sarah Bowles, Lucy Watkins Francis Curd, Susanna Pollock and Ann Williams Curd to them and their heirs forever.

Item. It is my Will and Desire that my stock and household Furniture be equally divided between all my Children Share and Share alike and their heirs forever at the Decease of my beloved Wife.

Item. I give and bequeath to my Daughter Lucy Watkins one cow and Calf.

Item. I give and bequeath to my Daughter Frances Curd one bed and Furniture, one mare called Nell, one Cow and Calf.

Item. I give to my Daughter Susanna Pollock one feather bed and Furniture, one Cow and Calf and twenty five pounds to buy her a horse and a Saddle.

Item. I give to my Daughter Ann Williams Curd one feather bed and furniture and one Cow and Calf & Twenty five Pounds to buy her a horse and one side Saddle.

Item. I give and bequeath to my Son Edmund Curd all my Hogs, Tools, one small bore gun with a cherry stock.

Item. I Desire that my Loveing Wife shall have the use of my Stills During her life and then to be equally Divided between all my Children and their heirs.

Lastly I appoint my sons Edmund Curd & George Underwood

Executors to this my last will and Testament hereby Revoking all former Wills made by me.

In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 22d June 1778.

Richard Curd (Seal)

Sign'd Sealed & Delivered

in Presence of—

Thomas Hatcher.

John Curd.

William Thurston.

At a Court held for Goochland County October the 19th, 1778. This writing was proved by the oaths of the witnesses hereto to be the Last Will and Testament of Richard Curd, Deced, and thereupon admitted to Record.

Teste: Val. Wood C. Cur.

Recorded in Deed & Will Book No. XII, p. 194.

CHILDREN—CURD

17. i. Ann³, m. July 21, 1762, Edward Redford.
- + 18. ii. Edmund³, m. (1) Mar. 18, 1764, Mary, dau. of John and Elizabeth Curd; m. (2) abt. 1785, Elizabeth Coghill.
19. iii. Mary³, m. Dec. 18, 1768, Benjamin Perkins.
20. iv. Sarah³, m. Feb. 19, 1767, Knight Bowles.
21. v. Elizabeth³, m. Dec. 25, 1768, George Underwood.
22. vi. Lucy³, m. (1) Dec. 23, 1772, Charles Watkins; m. (2) Sept. 16, 1782, Thomas Hatcher, his second wife.
23. vii. Frances³ ("Fanny"), m. as second wife in Goochland Co., Mar. 23, 1791, Elisha Leake.
24. viii. Suzanna³, m. May 19, 1778, Thomas Pollock. Marriage recorded in Charles Co., Md.
25. ix. Ann³ ("Nannie") Williams Curd, b. July 11, 1762; m. July 10, 1787, Major John Curd, son of John Curd and Lucy Brent.

5. MARY² CURD (Edward¹), m. John McBride and settled in Goochland Co.; we find record of only two children, those named in her father's will and in the *Douglas Register*.

CHILDREN—MCBRIDE

- i. Jane McBride, b. Sept. 29, 1726.
- ii. Edward McBride, m. Elizabeth Williamson and had issue—see *Douglas Register*.

6. MARY² CURD (Edward¹), d. Charlotte Co., Va., abt. 1791, will proved October 3, 1791; m. John Richardson who d. in Cumberland Co., Va., 1753. Will proved September 4, 1753. Both wills give list of children. That of the mother names the following:

- i. Isham.
- ii. Martha, m. a Dawson.
- iii. Ann, m. a Harvey.
- iv. Frances, m. Lewis Jackson.
- v. Susannah, m. a Gilliam.
- vi. Agnes, m. a Vaughter.

The will of the father names in addition:

- vii. John.
- viii. Elizabeth.
- ix. Mary.
- x. Sarah.

Group One — Third Generation

DESCENDANTS OF EDWARD³ CURD

8. EDWARD³ CURD (Edward², Edward¹), son of Edward² Curd. He m. Mary Morris, dau. of William Morris of Henrico Co., who after Edward's death m. (2) 1784, Joseph Lewis, a widower.* The late John C. Underwood of Kentucky, who compiled a brief mss. genealogy of this line which has been quite freely quoted by members of the Curd family, gave this son the name of Isaac, which is evidently an error as both Bible and court records give his name as Edward. His children are named in the will of Mary Lewis, his widow, dated December 5, 1799, proved June 6, 1803. The Goochland Court records contain the following deed:

To whom all these presents shall come be it known that I Edward Curd of Henrico Co. for divers good causes and considerations besides the natural love and affection I bear to my son John Curd do give and grant unto him and his heirs for ever a certain tract or parcel of land lying and being in the County of Goochland containing by estimation 630 acres be the same more or less which said tract of land and all and every advantage thereunto belonging I do give unto my said son John Curd and to his heirs forever in witness whereof thereunto set my seal this nineteenth day of February in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and seventy six.

Signed Edward Curd. Deed Book XI, page 93.

Since both Edward¹ and Edward² d. prior to 1776 this deed is unquestionably from Edward³ Curd to his son Col. John Curd.

Also deed dated August 17, 1762:

John Curd son and heir of John Curd deceased to Edward Curd of Henrico, 340 acres in Goochland County . . . 150 pounds . . . this land in possession of Edward Curd (Edward³) of Henrico which by right should have belonged to me after the decease of my uncle Edward Curd (Edward²).

Signed John Curd. Witnesses Richard Oglesby, Stephen Perkins and Joseph Lewis. Goochland Co. D. B. VIII, page 302.

*See marriage contract Joseph Lewis to Mary Curd, widow, dated May 3, 1784, witnesses Charles Lewis, Edward Curd and Francis Lewis. Henrico Co. Order Book I, p. 533, 1781-1784.

Edward³ was commissioned captain of militia September 1756. He inherited the original Curd estate on the Mechanicsville turnpike, running down to the Chickahominy river. This estate passed to his son Richard and was finally disposed of by him in 1821.*

WILL OF MARY (CURD) LEWIS

WIDOW FIRST OF EDWARD CURD, SECOND OF JOSEPH LEWIS

In the name of God, Amen, I, Mary Lewis, of the county of Henrico, being in a low state of health, but of sound mind and memory, do make this my last Will and Testament, in manner and form following:

In the first plan I recommend my soul to God who gave it, desiring that my body may be decently buried by my Executors hereafter named.

Item, I give to my son Edward Curd, six sheep.

Item, I give to my daughter Mary Ann Winston my large painted chest and all my wearing clothes.

Item, I give to my son Richard Curd, all my negroes that is to say by name Joe, Stephin, Moll, Cloe, and Alley a woman with her two children named Daniel and Nelson, with their future increase to him and his heirs forever.

Item, I give and bequeath to my son Richard Curd all my stock of Cattle, Hogs, and Horses, also all my household and kitchen furniture with the plantation utensils belonging thereto.

Item, I desire that my estate may not be appraised.

Item, It is my further desire, that the negro boy named Jacob, now in my possession, which was lent me by my son John Curd, at my decease may be returned to him and his heirs as I set up no claims to him, the said negro as he was only loaned to me by my said son John.

And lastly, I do appoint my son Richard as Executor to this my last Will and Testament revoking all others heretofore made by me. In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this fifth day of December 1799.

Mary Lewis (Seal)

Signed, sealed and acknowledged in presence of Rebecca Curd, Elizabeth Miller. Proved Monday June 6, 1803.

CHILDREN—CURD

26. i. Mary Ann⁴, b. prob. abt. 1750; m. 1769, William Winston of Hanover Co., Va. Their first child, a son, b. Sept. 4, 1770, was named Edward Winston.

*See deed Richard Curd and Nancy his wife to William Jarvis, Henrico Co., dated Nov. 28, 1821, Henrico Co. D. B. XXIII, p. 514.

- + 27. ii. John⁴, b. Nov. 29, 1751; d. Mar. 8, 1819; m. Sept. 8, 1775, Ann ("Nancy") Underwood, b. Dec. 13, 1747; d. Apr. 20, 1826.
- 28. iii. Edward⁴, d. 1806 in Henrico Co., Va. Will dated July 15, 1806, says "I give and bequeathe to my brother Richard all my land whereon we now live,* also all my negroes and their future increase . . . also my stock of every kind, all my money, bonds and accounts and everything else that I may die possessed of." This would indicate that he left no posterity. It is possible, however, that he had a wife named Elizabeth. If so she probably d. prior to her husband and without issue.†
- + 29. iv. Richard⁴, b. 1762; d. May 16, 1827, aged 65 years; m. in Brunswick Co., Va., Oct. 12, 1795, Nancy Harrison, b. 1774; d. Mar. 15, 1830, aged 56 years.

The birth, death and marriage dates of John and Richard Curd are taken from family Bibles.

FOURTH GENERATION

27. COL. JOHN⁴ CURD (Edward³, Edward², Edward¹), b. November 29, 1751; d. March 8, 1819; m. September 8, 1775, Ann Underwood, b. December 13, 1747; d. April 20, 1826, dau. of Thomas William Underwood and his wife Elizabeth Taylor of Louisa Co., Va. John Curd was magistrate, Colonel of militia and Delegate in the assembly. Will dated January 10, 1815, proved April 19, 1819, names wife Ann and four children, speaks of land he purchased in Bedford Co. from his brother Richard, makes bequest to grandson John Anderson. Was Captain of militia 1778-1781 (*Heitman*, p. 181). He resided in Goochland Co., Va., and was Colonel of the Goochland Co. Militia following the Revolution.

WILL OF JOHN CURD

In the name of God Amen. I John Curd of Goochland County do make this my last Will and Testament in manner and form following:

*Edward and Richard lived on the original Edward Curd tract which was located on the northwest side of the Mechanicsville Pike leaving Richmond, at the top of the hill as the pike goes down to the Chickahominy River; this hill is still known as Curd's Hill.

†See deed Edward Curd and Wife Elizabeth to Richard Curd Oct. 11, 1788, Book II, p. 665, Henrico Co. This Edward should not be confused with Edward³ son of William Curd who also had wife Elizabeth and signed a number of Henrico Co. deeds.

First—I lend to my loving wife Ann Curd during her natural life the use of half of my Land on which I live including the houses where I now live together with eight negroes of her choice and one third of my household and kitchen furniture and also one third of every other kind of movable property that I possess (negroes excepted) during her natural life as aforesaid.

Secondly—I lend unto my daughter Rebecca Anderson eight negroes to be allotted her in the manner hereinafter directed, at her decease to be divided between all her children.

Thirdly—I give unto my two sons Isaac Curd and Thomas Curd after the death of their mother all the Land in this County on which I live to be equally divided between them in quality as quantity, the half to include the House in which I live I give to Thomas Curd and the other half I give to Isaac Curd and their heirs forever. I also give unto my two sons Isaac and Thomas five negroes each to be allotted to them in the manner hereinafter directed.

Fourthly—After my decease I direct that Eight Negroes be allotted to each of my daughters and that five Negroes be allotted to each of my sons and that the lots to my daughters shall exceed in value the lots of my sons as near as may be as eight exceeds five meaning that an equal of negroes in each lot both to my sons and daughters shall be of equal value and that the three extra Negroes to each of my daughters shall be in the same proportion of value with the rest as to number and I direct also at the same time that if should be remaining any Negroes after my Wife takes her Eight and the above division is made between my sons and daughters in like proportion that the rest are directed to be divided *in*. And I further direct that the balance of my movable estate, after my wife takes her share as above, shall be sold for the payment of debts if necessary, if not to be divided between all my children.

Fifthly—After the death of my wife I direct that the Negroes and other movable estate left her during life to be divided between my two sons and two daughters and their heirs in the same proportion and the same manner as I have directed my Negroes and other movable property to be divided among them under the fourth clause of this my will.

Sixthly—I give unto my two daughters Rebecca Anderson and Ann Hart, all my lands in the County of Bedford on or about the Peaks of Otter which I purchased of my brother Richard Curd and which was lately the property of John Thompson.

Seventhly—It is my will and desire that all the property given or lent to my daughter, Rebecca Anderson, by this my will shall be equally divided between all her children at her death.

Eighthly—I give to my grandson, John Anderson, a negro boy by the name of Tom, son of Dolly.

Lastly—I direct that all my just debts be paid by my executors. I do hereby appoint my two sons Isaac and Thomas Curd and Benjamin Anderson my executors of this my last Will and Testament, hereby revoking all former Wills by me made. In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 10th day of January, 1815.

Jno. Curd (seal)

At a Monthly Session Court held for Goochland County at the Court House on Monday the 19th day of April, 1819. This writing was presented in Court and proved by the oaths of William Miller and John S. Fleming to be wholly written by John Curd deceased and was ordered to be recorded for his last Will and Testament. Then on the motion of Thomas Curd and Benjamin Anderson, two of the executors therein named who made oath according to law and together with William Miller, John Martin, Isaac Curd and Samuel L. Hart their securities entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of \$30,000 conditioned as the law requires probate thereof was granted them in due form.

Test—W. Miller, C. G. C.

Recorded in Deed and Will Book No. XXIV, page 46.

CHILDREN—CURD

- + 30. i. Rebecca⁵, b. June 5, 1779; m. Jan. 1, 1806, Benjamin Anderson, b. Dec. 12, 1783, son of John and Mary Anderson.
- ii. Katherine⁵, b. Feb. 18, 1781; d. Dec. 9, 1802.
- + 31. iii. Isaac⁵, b. June 5, 1783; d. 1850; m. Dec. 20, 1808, Jane Watkins, b. May 21, 1789.
- + 32. iv. Thomas⁵, b. Jan. 25, 1786; d. Oct. 1861; m. (1) Oct. 31, 1815, Caroline Rose Pleasants who d. June 24, 1816; m. (2) June 2, 1825, Mrs. Jane (Lewis) Dandridge, b. May 2, 1771 (?); d. Aug. 5, 1848.
- 33. v. Ann T.⁵, b. June 24, 1790; m. Nov. 10, 1813, Samuel L. Hart. Had eight children.

29. RICHARD⁴ CURD (Edward³, Edward², Edward¹), b. Henrico Co., Va., 1762; d. Henry Co., Ga., May 10, 1827, aged 65 years. Son of Edward Curd and Mary Morris, dau. of William Morris, who after her husband's death m. (2) 1784, Joseph Lewis. Richard m. in Brunswick Co., Va., October 12, 1795, Nancy Harrison, dau. of Benjamin Harrison. She d. March 15, 1830, aged 56 years. He owned the original Edward Curd home place on the Mechanicsville turnpike where the pike goes down to the Chickahominy

River. This place he sold in 1821 to William Jarvis* and removed to Putnam Co., Ga.; then to Henry Co., Ga., where he d. He was a member of the Jury which tried Aaron Burr for treason at Richmond in 1807. Will dated February 24, 1827, proved September 3, 1827.

CHILDREN—CURD

- + 34. i. Dr. Edward⁵, m. probably in Henrico Co., Va., prior to 1820, Sarah Elizabeth Clopton, dau. of David Clopton. He settled near Eatonton, Putnam Co., Ga., abt. 1821.
- + 35. ii. John⁵, b. May 22, 1809; d. July 10, 1868; m. Nov. 4, 1830, Miriam W. Johnson.
- 36. iii. Martha H.⁵, m. Mr. Cowley.
- 37. iv. Frances A.⁵, m. Aug. 16, 1825, Ephraim R. McLean.

FIFTH GENERATION

30. REBECCA⁵ CURD (John⁴, Edward³, Edward², Edward¹), b. June 5, 1789, dau. of Col. John Curd and Ann Underwood; m. Jan. 1, 1806, Benjamin Anderson, b. Dec. 12, 1783.

CHILDREN—ANDERSON

- i. John Curd⁶, b. Sept. 7, 1806; d. July 8, 1823.
- ii. Katherine ("Kitty") Elizabeth⁶, b. Dec. 20, 1808; m. Jan. 15, 1829, Narcissus W. Miller,† b. Apr. 3, 1806.
- iii. Robert⁶, b. Nov. 24, 1810; d. Hardeman Co., Tenn., Sept. 7, 1832; m. Nov. 15, 1831, Susan Morton, dau. of Quin Morton of Franklin Co., Ala.
- iv. Thomas⁶, b. Sept. 20, 1813; d. in California, unmarried.
- v. Ann Maria⁶, b. Nov. 11, 1815; d. July 3, 1816.
- vi. Caroline Pleasants⁶, b. June 13, 1817; m. Dec. 27, 1858, George Turner; no issue.

*See deed dated Nov. 28, recorded Dec. 3, 1821, between Richard Curd and Nancy his wife of Henrico Co. of the first part and William Jarvis of the City of Richmond of the second part. Consideration \$5,000.00. Land in Henrico Co. containing 426 acres. Beginning at a white oak on Judge Marshall's line and touching line of Alexander McRae, line of Curtis Carter and others to Mechanicsville Turnpike, thence to Chickahominy River, mention made of the family burying ground near a Holly tree on this land, Henrico Co. D. B. XXIII, p. 514. NOTE: This was the remaining part of the old Curd Homestead, other parts having previously been sold by Richard Curd.

†Four generations of Millers have served, almost continuously, as County Court Clerks of Goochland Co., for a period of 145 years, father, son, grandson and great grandson; first William Miller, then N. W. Miller, then William Miller, Jr., and finally at the present time, Peter G. Miller.

31. DR. ISAAC⁵ CURD (John⁴, Edward³, Edward², Edward¹), b. Goochland, Va., June 5, 1783; d. St. Joseph, Mo., 1850, son of Col. John Curd and Ann Underwood; m. December 20, 1808, Jane Watkins, b. May 21, 1789; d. 1846. He removed to Chillicothe, O. in 1824, where he practiced medicine, being associated with Dr. McDowell. They both removed to St. Louis, Mo. about 1830. Dr. McDowell remained there and founded the Missouri Medical College which became quite outstanding in the history of St. Louis. In 1831 Dr. Curd removed to Callaway Co., Mo., where he continued to practice his profession. Here he became much interested in public affairs and played a prominent part in the early history of Missouri. He was a member of the Legislature, first Missouri Bank Examiner under Governor Boggs, delegate to the National Whig Convention, and an intimate acquaintance of both Henry Clay and Thomas H. Benton. Operated a newspaper at Fulton and was for 20 years president of the local bank. He is buried at Fulton, Mo.

CHILDREN—CURD

- 38. i. Katherine ("Kitty")⁶, b. Dec. 31, 1809; m. F. W. Digges, b. Fauquier Co., Va., Feb. 26, 1820; d. Glasgow, Mo., Mar. 20, 1883.
- 39. ii. Ann Maria⁶, b. Feb. 5, 1813; d. young.
- 40. iii. Jane⁶, b. Apr. 5, 1815; d. unmarried.
- 41. iv. John⁶, b. Dec. 9, 1817, a pioneer resident of St. Joseph, Mo., 1843; d. unmarried, 1865.
- 42. v. Thomas⁶, m. Samuella Hart.
- 43. vi. Isaac⁶, b. Chillicothe, O., Apr. 6, 1826; d. St. Joseph, Mo., Apr. 6, 1914; buried at Fulton, Mo.
- + 44. vii. Edwin B.⁶, b. Chillicothe, O., Feb. 22, 1829; d. Fulton, Mo., Aug. 23, 1914; m. 1865, Harriet Webster.
- 45. viii. Harriet, d. young.
- 46. ix. Martha, d. young.
- 47. x. Martha Jane⁶, b. Sept. 26, 1833; lived at Colorado Springs, Col.

32. DR. THOMAS⁵ CURD (John⁴, Edward³, Edward², Edward¹), b. Goochland, Va., January 25, 1786; d. October 11, 1861, son of Col. John Curd and Ann Underwood; m. (1) October 31, 1815, Caroline Rose Pleasants who d. June 24, 1816; m. (2) June 2, 1825, Mrs. Jane (Lewis) Dandridge, widow of Alexander Spotts-

wood Dandridge, and dau. of Robert Lewis and his wife Mary Gilchrist of Goochland Co., Va. He served in the war of 1812 as first lieutenant in John Pollock's company, light infantry, Seventh Regiment, Virginia militia. His service commenced August 28, 1814, and ended February 21, 1815.

CHILDREN—CURD

- 48. i. Thomas Alexander⁶, b. Mar. 16, 1829; m. Margaret Pleasants. No issue.
- + 49. ii. John Robert⁶, b. Apr. 18, 1831; d. Jan. 27, 1881; m. June 11, 1871, Virginia Miller.
- + 50. iii. Isaac⁶, b. Feb. 23, 1835; d. Feb. 1, 1928; m. July 16, 1862, Maria Louise Harris.

34. DR. EDWARD⁵ CURD (Richard⁴, Edward³, Edward², Edward¹), son of Richard Curd and Nancy Harrison; m. probably in Henrico Co., Va., prior to 1820, Sarah Elizabeth Clopton, dau. of David Clopton and his wife Marianne Van deWall. Dr. Edward Curd came from Virginia and settled about 1821 in Putnam Co., Ga., where he was preceded by James B. Clopton and Alfred Clopton, near relatives of his wife. After his death, the date of which is unknown, the widow and children removed to Macon, Ga., where Sarah Clopton Curd d. aged 83 years. This family is buried in Rose Hill Cemetery, Macon, Ga.

CHILDREN—CURD

- 51. i. Mary Ann⁶, b. 1820; d. 1902; m. James L. Saulsbury, b. 1815; d. 1855, who came to Georgia from Orange, N. J.
- 52. ii. Richard⁶, b. abt. 1823; never married; buried at Macon, Ga., Jan. 3, 1873, aged 50 years.
- 53. iii. Sarah⁶, b. abt. 1825; m. June 8, 1845, James B. Carhart.
- 54. iv. Edward⁶, never married; buried at Macon, Ga., Nov. 28, 1860, aged 33 years.
- 55. v. Louisa⁶, m. Dr. A. Willis Deney, who d. May 8, 1861, aged 33 years. They lived in Dooly Co., Ga.
- 56. vi. Martha⁶, m. a Mr. Pease.
- + 57. vii. John Clopton⁶, b. Putnam Co., Ga., Jan. 29, 1832; d. Macon, Ga., Nov. 9, 1883; m. at La Grange, Troup Co., Ga., Apr. 2, 1867, Julia H. Bates, b. Aug. 17, 1842; d. Nov. 13, 1915.

35. JOHN⁵ CURD (Richard⁴, Edward³, Edward², Edward¹), b. Henrico Co., Va., May 22, 1809; d. Whitfield Co., Ga., July 10, 1868, son of Richard Curd and Nancy Harrison; m. Henry Co., Ga., November 4, 1830, Miriam W. Johnson, b. August 19, 1812; d. October 18, 1845, aged 33 years. They removed to Bartow Co., Ga., abt. 1840, then later to Whitfield Co., Ga. Records from family Bible in possession of Mrs. W. L. Roberts, Dalton, Ga.*

CHILDREN—CURD

- 58. i. Salena Ann⁶, b. Oct. 28, 1831; d. Sept. 17, 1856; m. a Mr. Bowman.
- 59. ii. Frances Emily⁶, b. Apr. 29, 1833; d. Aug. 25, 1911; m. Aug. 19, 1853, William Carroll.
- 60. iii. Martha Calata⁶, b. Jan. 14, 1835; d. July 11, 1854; m. John ("Jack") Carroll.
- 61. iv. Richard Johnson⁶, b. Nov. 9, 1837; d. unmarried.
- 62. v. Mary Ann⁶, b. Mar. 1840; m. James Bowman.
- 63. vi. Leonora Elizabeth⁶, b. July 15, 1842; d. Jan. 6, 1898; m. 1875, William Pryor Nichols.*
- 64. vii. Nancy Amarintha⁶, b. Nov. 9, 1844; d. 1896; m. James A. Long.

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44. EDWIN B.⁶ CURD (Isaac⁵, John⁴, Edward³, Edward², Edward¹), b. Chillicothe, O., February 22, 1829; d. Fulton, Mo., August 23, 1914; m. St. Louis, Mo., 1865, Harriet Webster.

CHILDREN—CURD

- 65. i. Julia Webster⁷, b. May 3, 1866; d. Apr. 10, 1879.
- 66. ii. Martha Hart⁷, m. Henry Ostrom.
- 67. iii. Isaac Trevillian⁷, living at St. Joseph, Mo., 1937.
- 68. iv. Lillian Webster, d. unmarried.
- 69. v. Madge⁷, d. unmarried.
- 70. vi. Jessamine Wallace⁷, d. unmarried.
- 71. vii. Edwin.⁷
- 72. viii. Jane Trevillian⁷, m. Rev. J. E. Purcell; living at Richmond, Va., 1935.

49. DR. JOHN ROBERT⁶ CURD (Dr. Thomas⁵, Col. John⁴, Edward³, Edward², Edward¹), b. April 18, 1831; d. January 27,

*Mrs. W. L. Roberts, who furnished the data on this family, is a daughter of Leonora E. (Curd) Nichols.

1881 at Victoria, Tex.; m. at Richmond, Va., January 11, 1871, Virginia Miller, d. April 11, 1930, aged 87 years, dau. of William Bacon Miller and Mary Crenshaw. He was a physician and lived at Richmond, Va.; served in the Confederate Army throughout the war.

CHILDREN—CURD

- 73. i. Katherine Miller⁷, b. Oct. 11, 1871; d. Mar. 14, 1916; m. Mar. 5, 1875, Robert O. Holt. Two sons.
- 74. ii. Virginia Pope⁷, b. July 13, 1873; d. June 28, 1895.
- 75. iii. William Goodwin⁷, b. Nov. 11, 1875; m. at Baltimore, Md., Mar. 1924, Mrs. Nettie Eipes.
- 76. iv. Agnes Viola Poythress⁷, b. Sept. 20, 1878; m. at Washington, D. C., Jan. 2, 1901, T. Lightfoot West. Have one daughter.
- 77. v. Julia Argyle⁷, b. Sept. 22, 1880; d. Victoria, Tex., Nov. 17, 1881.

50. DR. ISAAC⁶ CURD (Dr. Thomas⁵, Col. John⁴, Edward³, Edward², Edward¹), b. February 3, 1835; d. February 1, 1928, son of Dr. Thomas Curd and Jane Lewis; m. July 16, 1862, Maria Louisa Harris, dau. of Abner Nelson Harris and Lucy Talman Overton of Louisa Co., Va. He was a physician and lived at Richmond, Va.

CHILDREN—CURD

- 78. i. Thomas Nelson⁷, m. Caroline Boze. Had one daughter.
- 79. ii. Jane Lewis⁷, m. (1) Louis Wombel; m. (2) Marion S. Hewitt. Had one son by first husband.
- + 80. iii. A. Bryce⁷, b. Apr. 17, 1867; m. Dec. 20, 1902, Julia Argyle Morris.
- 81. iv. Mary Overton⁷, m. Mar. 23, 1915, Charles H. West. No children.
- 82. v. Frederick W.⁷, b. Sept. 1872; m. Frances Rogers. No children.
- 83. vi. Harriet Montague⁷, b. Aug. 22, 1876; m. (1) John M. Greenway; m. (2) George H. Ingals.
- 84. vii. Louise Harris⁷, b. Feb. 8, 1881; m. Norvel Linney of Gordonsville, Va. No children.

57. JOHN CLOPTON⁶ CURD (Dr. Edward⁵, Richard⁴, Edward³, Edward², Edward¹), b. Putnam Co., Ga., January 29, 1832; d.

Macon, Ga., November 9, 1883, son of Dr. Edward Curd and Sarah E. Clopton, dau. of David Clopton; m. at La Grange, Troup Co., Ga., April 2, 1867, Julia H. Bates, b. at Royalton, Vt., August 17, 1842; d. at Macon, Ga., November 13, 1915.

CHILDREN—CURD

- 85. i. Edward Sylvanius⁷, d. Feb. 10, 1901; never married.
 - 86. ii. Mary⁷, b. Jan. 22, 1870; living at Macon, Ga., 1935; m. Richard Childres Jordan, b. 1864; d. 1925.
 - 87. iii. John Carhart⁷, b. 1872; d. Apr. 18, 1920; never married.
 - 88. iv. Robert Bates⁷, b. 1874; d. Feb. 8, 1920; never married.
 - 89. v. Richard⁷, b. 1876; d. Dec. 22, 1920; never married.
80. A. BRYCE⁷ CURD (Isaac⁶, Thomas⁵, John⁴, Edward³, Edward², Edward¹), b. April 17, 1867, son of Isaac Curd and Maria Louisa Harris; m. December 20, 1902, Julia Argyle Morris, dau. of Dr. William Morris and Anna Miller; lives at Richmond, Va.

CHILDREN—CURD

- 90. i. William M.⁸, b. Oct. 25, 1903.
- 91. ii. Louise Harris⁸, b. Feb. 11, 1905.
- 92. iii. Ann Miller⁸, b. Dec. 14, 1907; m. Oct. 22, 1935, Alfred Scott Anderson, Jr. of North Carolina.

Group Two—Third Generation

DESCENDANTS OF JOHN³ CURD

9. JOHN³ CURD (John², Edward¹), son of John Curd and Elizabeth Price; m. in Lancaster Co., Va., April 7, 1758, Lucy Brent, dau. of James Brent and Catherine Newton (1678-1728), dau. of Thomas Newton.* Their children were born in Goochland Co., Va., and registered by the Rev. William Douglas in the register of the St. James Northam Parish Church of which John Curd was Vestryman. John Curd removed to Kentucky in 1780, settling on the south bank of the Kentucky river at the mouth of the Dix river in what was first Lincoln Co. but was later cut off to form Mercer Co. Here he established a public ferry authorized by law, being one of eight so authorized in Kentucky by the Virginia Assembly. This ferry became the gateway to the settlement at Harrodsburg, and at the present writing a ferry is still in operation at this point. The road from the ferry to Harrodsburg and on to Lexington was known as Curd's road and so called until the Harrodsburg turnpike was built. Here John Curd and his associates also founded the town of New Market in 1786.† He took up large grants of land in Jefferson, Fayette, and Lincoln Cos., the first three counties to be formed out of the Co. of Kentucky. All of his children and those of his brother Joseph (with one exception) eventually settled in central Kentucky and are the ancestors of a large part of the Kentuckians bearing the name Curd.

In 1784 with Clark and Durham he organized the first Methodist Church in Kentucky and assisted in erecting a meetinghouse at Danville. He was a member of the Lincoln County Militia and saw service under at least three different captains, was in the Company of Captain John Martin under command of Col. Stephen Trigg, April 21 to May 23, 1781; in Company of Capt. Samuel Scott under command of Col. Benjamin Logan, February

*Catherine Newton m. (1) Thomas Martin, and after his death m. (2) James Brent. She should not be confused with Catherine, widow of Hugh Brent, who m. (2) Edward Carter.

†"Oct. 11, 1786, John Jouett, Gabriel Madison, James Hord, Samuel Pryor, Gentlemen, were appointed trustees for the town of Newmarket in Virginia and land purchased from John Curd."

22 to March 22, 1782; and in the company of Capt. John Smith under command of Col. Benjamin Logan, October 22 to November 22, 1782. (Pay rolls on file Virginia State Library.) He was a member of Gen. George Rogers Clark's expedition which invaded the Shawnee towns along the Miami in Ohio, November 1782, destroying same in retaliation for the massacre at Blue Licks in August. (*War Dept. Records.*) It is said that he was an intimate friend of both Daniel Boone and Governor Patrick Henry and that under the Governor's direction he served many important missions in the Kentucky section of Virginia. He d. at his home in Mercer Co., 1801.*

There were three John Curds living in Goochland Co., Va., at the beginning of the Revolution and writers frequently confuse the three and their military service. John above removed from Virginia during the process of the Revolution and there does not seem to be any record of his having served in the Continental Army prior to his removal to Kentucky. The second John was son of Edward³ and his wife Mary Morris. He was Captain of Militia 1778-1881 (*Heitman*, p. 181) and was Colonel of the Goochland Militia following the Revolution. The third John was son of John and Lucy Brent Curd. He enlisted as private in the Continental Army 1776 and was appointed Major of the Goochland Militia 1780.

CHILDREN—CURD

- + 93. i. James⁴, b. June 24, 1759; d. Jessamine Co., Ky., abt. 1821; m. Aug. 30, 1791, Mary Ann Perkins.
- + 94. ii. John⁴, b. Nov. 23, 1760; d. Logan Co., Ky., Sept. 10, 1838; m. July 10, 1787, Ann ("Nancy") Williams Curd, b. July 11, 1762; d. Sept. 20, 1846.
- 95. iii. Elizabeth⁴, b. Feb. 25, 1762.
- 96. iv. Nancy⁴, b. Mar. 5, 1764; m. Lincoln Co., Ky., Mar. 23, 1782, James Hord.
- 97. v. Catherine⁴, b. Jan. 29, 1766; m. in Lincoln Co., Ky., Dec. 31, 1782, William Bradshaw.

*Oct. 16, 1802, John Curd of Warren Co., Ky., issued power of attorney to Daniel Curd of Barren Co., Ky., to act for him in settlement of their deceased father's estate—Warren Co. D. B. II, p. 99. The final division of the estate was not made until 1819-23, when on Jan. 28, 1819, the General Assembly of Kentucky passed an Act for the benefit of the devisees of John Curd and the heirs of Price Curd, dec^d, whereby John Pryor and Woodford Curd were authorized to sell, divide and make deed to certain tracts of land devised by John Curd to his heirs.

- + 98. vi. Newton⁴, b. Nov. 21, 1767; d. Mercer Co., Ky., Aug. 25, 1822; m. Mar. 25, 1789, Ann Elizabeth Hatcher.
- + 99. vii. Mary⁴, b. Sept. 10, 1769; d. Trimble Co., Ky., June 30, 1833, "in her 60th year"; m. Sept. 30, 1785, Samuel Pryor.
- +100. viii. Price⁴, b. Aug. 14, 1771; d. Fayette Co., Ky., Feb. 7, 1814; m. Fannie Allen.
- +101. ix. Daniel⁴, b. Oct. 14, 1773; d. Barren Co., Ky., Apr. 18, 1843; m. Fannie S. Trigg.
- +102. x. Woodford⁴, b. Dec. 15, 1775; m. in Jessamine Co., Ky., Oct. 10, 1800, Jenny West; d. Jefferson—later Oldham—Co., Ky., abt. 1822-23.
Probably
- +103. xi. Merryman B.⁴, b. May 12, 1780; d. Trimble Co., Ky., Oct. 2, 1841.

The birth dates are those given in the *Douglas Register*.

FOURTH GENERATION

93. JAMES⁴ CURD (John³, John², Edward¹), b. June 24, 1759; d. Jessamine Co., Ky., abt. 1821-22 (his gravestone says he d. August 11, 1822, in his 64th year, but his inventory was taken November 21, 1821), son of John Curd and Lucy Brent; m. Mercer Co., Ky., August 30, 1791, Mary Ann Perkins, b. May 6, 1770; d. 1850, dau. of Capt. Benjamin Hughes Perkins and Mary A. Curd. James Curd came to Kentucky with his father in 1780; he was a member of the Lincoln Co. Militia and was in service under command of Major Hugh McGary, winter of 1781-82. (Rev. Pay Roll on file Virginia State Library, Richmond. I. P. D. 165.) The record of his descendants are here given through the courtesy of Mrs. Lucy Rayne Truog of Madison, Wis., compiler of *Curd and Allied Families*.

CHILDREN—CURD

- +104. i. Willis⁵, b. Jan. 7, 1793; d. Aug. 1866; m. (1) Nov. 8, 1827, Mary Scott; m. (2) Celia South.
- 105. ii. Mary A.⁵ ("Polly"), b. Oct. 21, 1794; d. 1835 (?); m. Apr. 26, 1821, Courtney R. Lewis.
- 106. iii. Catherine B.⁵, b. May 27, 1796; d. Feb. 29, 1874; m. May 21, 1820, as second wife, Benjamin C. Johnson.
- 107. iv. Sarah⁵ ("Sallie"), b. Mar. 23, 1798; d. young.

- 108. v. Lucy B.⁵, b. Mar. 11, 1800; d. 1822,* unmarried.
- 109. vi. William⁵, b. June 17, 1802; d. 1822,* unmarried.
- +110. vii. John Hughes⁵, b. 1804; d. Oct. 10, 1869; m. (1) June 19, 1827, Emily C. Hickman; m. (2) Sept. 1842, Deborah Freeland, b. 1821, d. 1860.
- 111. viii. Elizabeth Nichols⁵, b. Sept. 15, 1806; d. 1822.*
- +112. ix. Benjamin Perkins⁵, b. Apr. 10, 1810; d. Nov. 19, 1888; m. Sept. 18, 1832, Mary A. Bryan.
- 113. x. James Stephen⁵, b. Mar. 6, 1812; d. unmarried.
- 114. xi. Nancy Price⁵, b. 1814; d. 1833, unmarried.

94. MAJOR JOHN⁴ CURD (John³, John², Edward¹), b. November 23, 1760 (gravestone says September 10, 1760, which is an error); d. Logan Co., Ky., September 10, 1838, son of John Curd and Lucy Brent; m. Goochland Co., Va., July 10, 1787, Ann ("Nancy") Williams Curd, b. July 11, 1762; d. September 20, 1846, dau. of Richard Curd and Sarah Downer. They came to Kentucky settling first in Warren Co., later removing to Logan Co. He enlisted in the Continental Army in 1776 from Goochland Co., Va., served as private in the Ninth Virginia Regiment, company of Captain Samuel Woodson, Colonel George Matthews. He was wounded at the battle of Germantown, October 4, 1777, taken prisoner, carried first to Philadelphia, then to New York, and held until the summer of 1778. At that time he was exchanged and returned to the army, receiving his discharge from General Peter Muhlenberg. He later reenlisted and again served for a period under Colonel George Matthews. In May 1780 he was commissioned Major of a Goochland Co. Company of Militia. His wife Nancy survived him and was allowed a pension on her application executed February 7, 1839, at which time she was living with her son Richard at Bowling Green, Ky. John and his wife are buried in the Maple Grove Cemetery at Russellville, Ky., their remains having been removed there from the old Baptist Cemetery near that point. The inscription on his tomb reads:

*Jessamine Co., Ky., court records show inventories of Lucy Curd, Elizabeth N. Curd, and William Curd all dated Aug. 24, 1824. It is probable that these three children died during an epidemic which raged in Kentucky in 1822. In settlement of their estates allotments were made to Willis Curd, Courtney R. Lewis, John Curd, James Stephen Curd, Benjamin Curd, Nancy Price Curd and Mrs. Mary Ann Curd. Book C, p. 390.

MAJOR JOHN CURD

Mr. Curd espoused with zeal the cause of our glorious Revolution and after a life of virtuous and honorable toil mingles in heaven (it is hoped) with kindred spirits of that eventful period.

He was a member of the Kentucky Legislature of 1800, representing Warren and Barren Cos. in the State Senate.

CHILDREN—CURD

- 115. i. Sarah⁵ ("Sallie"), m. Aug. 29, 1810, Samuel H. Curd, b. July 10, 1786, son of Edmund Curd and Elizabeth Coghill.
- 116. ii. Richard⁵, m. Logan Co., Ky., Sept. 26, 1812, Eliza Moorhead. He removed from Logan Co. to Warren Co., Ky., where he d. 1857 without issue. Will dated Mar. 27, 1856, proved Dec. 1857, names wife Eliza M. and adopted dau. Richardella Thomas, wife of F. G. Ragland.
- 117. iii. Polly Smith⁵, b. Apr. 7, 1794; d. July 26, 1864; m. May 19, 1812, Spencer Curd, son of Edmund Curd.
- +118. iv. John B.⁵, m. Jan. 15, 1818, Louisa C. Slaughter; settled in Christian Co., Ky.
- 119. v. Lucy Brent⁵, m. in Logan Co., Ky., Sept. 20, 1821, Robert Slaughter. Both Robert and his wife were d. by 1826, leaving a son Richard H. Slaughter, b. abt. 1822-23.
- 120. vi. Elizabeth⁵, b. Feb. 6, 1802; d. Oct. 13, 1866; m. Aug. 7, 1821, Col. Samuel Poindexter, b. Apr. 17, 1794; d. Sept. 30, 1875. They are buried at Russellville, Ky.
- 121. vii. Fanny⁵, b. Mar. 9, 1804; d. June 26, 1834; m. Samuel Mathis. She is buried at Elizabethtown, Ky.
- +122. viii. William Elliott⁵, b. Apr. 30, 1807; d. Dec. 15, 1847; m. Jan. 16, 1831, Ann Maria Ely, b. Apr. 8, 1805; d. July 23, 1881; buried at Russellville, Ky.

98. NEWTON⁴ CURD (John³, John², Edward¹), b. November 31, 1767; d. Mercer Co., Ky., August 25, 1822; buried in the Curd Cemetery near Curdsville about three miles north of Burgin, Ky., son of John Curd and Lucy Brent; m. March 25, 1789, Ann Elizabeth Hatcher, b. June 12, 1761; d. May 29, 1831, dau. of Thomas Hatcher and his first wife Sarah Porter. Division of his estate

December 18, 1822. *Will Book* 7, page 176, Mercer Co., names children below with the exception of Lucy who d. 1813. His gravestone says he d. August 25, 1822, aged 57 years.

CHILDREN—CURD

- 123. i. Sarah Porter⁵, b. 1791-92; d. Jan. 1877; m. her cousin, Stephen Curd, b. 1786; d. Dec. 1876, son of Joseph Curd.
- 124. ii. Elizabeth Hatcher⁵, b. 1793; m. (1) Feb. 4, 1810, John West; m. (2) Brice L. Bradshaw.
- 125. iii. Sophia Weston⁵, b. 1794; d. Mar. 1878; m. Leonard T. McCoun, b. Nov. 16, 1800; d. Mar. 25, 1822. Their dau., Rebecca McCoun, b. Apr. 25, 1822; d. Mar. 25, 1901; m. Robert Slaughter Curd.
- 126. iv. Thomas⁵, b. 1796; d. 1878; m. Patsy Cox.
- 127. v. Lucy Brent⁵, b. Nov. 23, 1798; killed by lightning, July 23, 1813.
- +128. vi. William⁵, b. 1800; m. Lucinda Coghill.

Goochland Co., Va., Deed Book XXX, p. 196: "Satisfactory proof is this day made . . . that Sally Curd, Elizabeth Bradshaw, Sophia McCoun, late Sophia Curd, Thomas Curd and William Curd are all children and heirs and legal representatives and the only children and legal heirs of Newton Curd deceased, dated Mercer Co., Ky., Dec. 11, 1834."

99. MARY⁴ CURD (John³, John², Edward¹), b. September 10, 1769; d. Trimble Co., Ky., June 30, 1833, dau. of John Curd and Lucy Brent; m. September 30, 1785, Samuel Pryor who d. December 1811.

CHILDREN—PRYOR

- i. Capt. John ("Jack")⁵, d. 1858; m. Sally Dumas. "He was long sheriff of Oldham Co. Ky."
- ii. Mary⁵, m. Charles Dorsey; went to California during the "gold rush."
- iii. Lucy⁵, m. James Duncan.
- iv. Catherine⁵, m. (1) James Duncan, her brother-in-law; m. (2) Moses Tandy.
- v. George Morton⁵, m. Elizabeth Lewis.
- vi. James⁵, m. (1) Eliza Samuels; m. (2) Caroline Butler.
- vii. Samuel⁵, m. Nancy Samuels.

- viii. Nancy⁵, m. Tavener Beale Young.
- ix. Martha⁵, m. Willis Duncan.
- x. Frances⁵, m. Jeremiah Strother.
- xi. Harry⁵, m. (1) Amelia Tandy; m. (2) Barbara Robbins.

Many noted men are descendants of Samuel Pryor and Mary Curd including Judge James Pryor of Kentucky, Judge William S. Pryor, Chief Justice of the Kentucky Court of Appeals; Judge Roger A. Pryor of the Supreme Court of New York, and Judge James Pryor Tarvin.

100. PRICE⁴ CURD (John³, John², Edward¹), b. Goochland Co., Va., August 14, 1771; d. Fayette Co., Ky., February 7, 1814, son of John Curd and Lucy Brent; m. Fannie Allen, b. 1780; d. September 1834, dau. of Richard Allen. Price Curd d. intestate, inventory March 1814, Book C, page 22. Richard Higgins administrator makes report March 10, 1816, Book D, page 136. His children are known from his estate division, Book D, page 177, and other records. He settled first in Warren Co., Ky., where he was Justice of the Quarterly Court, later removed to Fayette Co., Ky.

CHILDREN—CURD

- 129. i. Kitty B.⁵, m. Dec. 6, 1814, William Price. Kitty B. Price was living in Warren Co., Ky., in 1843, having inherited land there from her father.
- 130. ii. John⁵, b. May 16, 1799; d. Feb. 1876; m. (1) May 13, 1824, Elizabeth Caldwell, dau. of George and Susan Caldwell; m. (2) Oct. 17, 1845, Mrs. Eliza M. Gist. By his first wife he had an only child, John Caldwell Curd, b. Dec. 2, 1840; m. 1863, Lydia Downing; no children.
- +131. iii. Richard Allen⁵, b. 1801; d. Mar. 1836; m. May 8, 1823, Eleanor Hart Hunt, dau. of John Hunt.
- 132. iv. Lucy Ann⁵, m. Harrison E. Daniel of Jessamine Co., Ky.
- 133. v. Polly⁵, m. Feb. 6, 1827, Sam Harvey.
- 134. vi. William P.⁵, m. Jan. 14, 1830, Mary A. McGowan, dau. of D. McGowan (Magowan). They had one child, a dau. Nannie, who m. Aug. 29, 1850, Robert B. Shelton. William Curd was proprietor of the "Curd House" one of Lexington, Ky's. early hostelrys which stood at the corner of Vine and Mill Streets for many years.

The three sons of Price Curd were each prominent in the affairs of the "Blue Grass" section of Kentucky. Richard was a successful practising attorney, William was well known as the proprietor of the "Curd House," while John Curd owned one of the celebrated blue grass farms just out of Lexington and was prominent in both religion and politics. Many interesting anecdotes are related of this John. He was a convert and great admirer of the Rev. Alexander Campbell, was an intimate friend of Henry Clay and served three terms in the Kentucky legislature. We copy the following from Kerr's *History of Kentucky*.

John Curd was a thorough patriot and a staunch Whig in politics. At the first fair held at Lexington on the site of the present state college grounds he led his young son, John C. up to a great man saying, "Son, I want you to shake hands with my friend Henry Clay, the greatest statesman who ever lived. You will never see another like him." The Curd home was visited by Alexander Campbell, and John Curd in presenting his son John C. to this distinguished personage said "you must remember that Alexander Campbell is the greatest preacher who ever lived and you will never hear his equal."

The first call for a public meeting to discuss emancipation was issued by W. A. Dudley, Robert J. Breckinridge and John Curd. John Curd and Alexander Campbell, whose home was in West Virginia, were both slave holders but after a conference they started freeing their slaves and John Curd sent his freed men over the line into Indiana and Ohio.

101. DANIEL⁴ CURD (John³, John², Edward¹), b. October 4, 1773; d. Barren Co., Ky., April 18, 1843, son of John Curd and Lucy Brent; m. at Glasgow, Ky., March 18, 1801, Fannie S. Trigg, b. January 28, 1785, dau. of Haiden Trigg who came to Kentucky from Bedford Co., Va., where he m. August 12, 1783, Martha Gatewood, "consent of James Gatewood, father of Martha granted." Haiden Trigg was one of the first Justices of Peace of Barren Co., Ky. Will of Daniel Curd dated October 5, 1841, proved May 1843, Book 3, page 207, Barren Co. wills.

CHILDREN—CURD

- +135. i. Haiden Trigg⁵, b. Apr. 26, 1804; d. Louisville, Ky., Feb. 24, 1859; m. Martha Ann Edmunds, b. Dec. 7, 1813; d. June 21, 1868, dau. of Capt. William Edmunds.

- +136. ii. John Brent⁵, b. Dec. 27, 1806; d. abt. 1852; m. Helen Chaplin, dau. of William Chaplin and Betty Perkins. They settled at Somerset, Pulaski Co., Ky.
- 137. iii. Alason Trigg⁵, d. 1836, unmarried. Will dated Aug. 12, 1836, proved Oct. 1836.
- 138. iv. Eliza C.⁵, b. June 14, 1808; d. Feb. 7, 1887; m. July 7, 1829, John J. Snoddy.
- 139. v. Patsy⁵, m. 1824, as first wife, Schuyler Murrell, son of Samuel Murrell.
- +140. vi. Havilah Price⁵, b. 1817; d. July 18, 1884; m. Letitia Y. Mosby, dau. of Thomas H. Mosby.
- 141. vii. Lucy Brent⁵, m. Jan. 1, 1831, Woodford Martin.
- 142. viii. Mary Ann Willis⁵, b. 1824; d. 1888; m. Nov. 12, 1849, Benjamin Franklin Dickey.
- +143. ix. Beverly Daniel⁵, b. Dec. 26, 1826; d. Aug. 16, 1898; m. Nov. 2, 1849, Mariah L. Stark, b. Dec. 3, 1830; d. Nov. 15, 1891, dau. of Theophilus Stark of Culpeper Co., Va.

102. WOODFORD⁴ CURD (John³, John², Edward¹), b. December 15, 1775, son of John Curd and Lucy Brent; m. Jessamine Co., Ky., October 10, 1800, Jenny West, dau. of Charles West, removed to Jefferson Co., Ky., settling in the part later cut off to form Oldham Co., where he d. about 1821-22.

CHILDREN—CURD

- 144. i. Lucy Brent⁵, m. Aug. 20, 1821, Coleman Buckner, who d. Jan. 10, 1852.
- 145. ii. Fanny E.⁵, m. Mar. 9, 1824, James B. Ward.
- 146. iii. Adaline⁵ (Malvina Adaline), m. Dec. 19, 1829, James Metcalfe.
- 147. iv. John W.⁵, m. Aug. 20, 1839, Mary Jane Ashby, dau. of John Ashby.
- 148. v. Emily P.⁵, m. Dec. 13, 1833, James Taylor Thornton.
- 149. vi. Mary J.⁵, m. June 23, 1835, John H. Baldock.
- 150. vii. Patsy P.⁵, m. Dec. 16, 1839, James H. Button.

The above children are known from the settlement of the estate of John Curd when they were given lands on Harrod's Creek, Jefferson Co., later Oldham Co., Ky., May 8, 1823. See Book V, page 395, Jefferson Co., Ky.

103. MERRYMAN B.⁴ CURD (John³, John², Edward¹), probably son of John Curd and Lucy Brent, b. Goochland Co., Va., May 12, 1780; d. in Trimble Co., Ky., October 2, 1841. He m. in Fayette Co., Ky., April 12, 1804, Polly Kay, b. April 11, 1780; d. Crawford Co., Ill., March 20, 1858, dau. of John Kay of Fayette Co., Ky. His marriage is recorded in both Fayette and Jessamine Cos., Ky. We find the following court records in reference to this branch of the Curd family. Deed Book H, page 27, Jessamine Co., Ky., July 12, 1823:

Whereas I, Merriman B. Curd of Jessamine Co. State of Kentucky have given unto my children all of my property to wit, thirteen negro slaves, all my tract of land whereon I now live containing 350 acres, it being a part of John Curds 820 acre survey above the mouth of Dick's River and adjoining Bradshaw, Curds etc . . . all of my stock of horses, cows, sheep . . . household goods, also all my crop now on the plantation . . . also what is willed to me and my wife Polly by John Kay . . . The said children by their guardians Robert Kay, William A. Leavey and Richard A. Curd of Fayette Co., John Green of Lincoln Co., and Willis Curd and Samuel H. Woodson of Jessamine Co., and James Birney Senr. of Mercer Co., do agree to pay all just debts of their father M. B. Curd, take the property above mentioned and maintain their father and mother *jenteelly*, allow them the same and every (comfort) they formerly enjoyed. As witness my hand the 12th day of July 1823. Test. Edward Bradshaw, Benjamin Bradshaw, Filed Feb. 29, 1824.

This deed is followed by a second, Book H, page 34, March 22, 1824: "Merriman B. Curd and wife Polly to Benjamin Bradshaw 333 acres, \$3333.00 adjoining lands of Newton Curd deceased, upon which the said Merryman B. Curd at present resides." Test. Willis Curd, C. R. Lewis, John Curd, J. Higbee, Jr.

Our next record of Merryman B. Curd is from Deed books of Oldham Co., Ky., Book C, page 497, February 29, 1836:

Between Robert Wickliffe of Lexington Ky. of the one part and John Curd and William T. Curd of the other part, witnesseth: that whereas the said Robert Wickliffe did agree to convey to Merryman B. Curd or his order a certain tract of land situated in the county of Oldham on the Ohio river and the said Merryman B. Curd has by his order dated the 5th day of February 1836 ordered and requested said Wickliffe to convey to the said John Curd and William T. Curd 319 acres, parcel of the original tract, in consideration of the premises and the further consideration of four dollars per acre heretofore paid to said Wickliffe by the said

Merryman B. Curd, said Wickliffe conveys to John and William T. Curd, etc.

Our fourth record of Merryman B. Curd is in Trimble Co., Ky., January 6, 1834, when he pays a surveyor named Strother for having made a survey of lands on the Ohio river belonging to Robert Wickliffe which Merryman had evidently proposed purchasing from said Wickliffe. Then, Deed Book A, page 8, March 13, 1837, Robert Wickliffe of Lexington, Ky. deeds land to Samuel Trotter Curd and Augustine Lewis Curd of the Co. of Trimble and for description of land refers to the plat made by Strother for Merryman B. Curd. September 5, 1842, Augustine L. Curd sells his part of the land to Evan M. Garrett of Trimble Co. and on March 1, 1843, Samuel Trotter Curd sells his share to the same Garrett. In Book B, page 79, October 17, 1843 is the following: Samuel T. Curd and Augustine L. Curd of Trimble Co., Ky., to Milburn Abbott of Bethlehem in the state of Indiana for one dollar in hand paid and for the consideration that said Abbott as the attorney in fact of John Hawkins against said Curds. These families eventually left Trimble and Oldham Cos. some going to Missouri, others to Indiana and Illinois. The fact that Merryman B. Curd owned one third of the John Curd 820 acre tract and that the other two thirds were owned by Newton Curd, son of John, and by William Bradshaw and his wife Catherine Curd, son-in-law and dau. of John Curd together with the fact that Merryman named his first son John and the further fact that when he left Jessamine Co. he settled in Oldham Co. alongside the family of his brother Woodford and that the name Merryman was associated with the Brent family, leads one to believe that he must have been a son of John of Dix River. The reason his birth was not registered in the *Douglas Register* as were those of the other children is probably due to the fact that his father moved to Kentucky about the time of Merryman's birth. The following list of children of Merryman B. Curd has been supplied by Mr. R. A. Curd of Indianapolis, Ind. and is taken from an old family Bible.

CHILDREN—CURD

151. i. John M.^s, b. Apr. 19, 1805; d. Marion Co., Ind., Apr. 19, 1837; m. in Oldham Co., Ky., Jan. 11, 1836, Rebecca Baldock, dau. of James Baldock.

152. ii. Mariah Etna⁵, b. Jan. 28, 1807; d. Aug. 19, 1841; m. in Oldham Co., Jan. 9, 1927, Henry H. Neighbours.
- +153. iii. William T.⁵, b. Jan. 18, 1809; d. Feb. 4, 1875; m. in Oldham Co., Ky., Apr. 19, 1830, Elizabeth Moreland, dau. of Jesse Moreland.
154. iv. Francis H.⁵, b. Dec. 29, 1810; d. Aug. 1832.
155. v. Robert I.⁵, b. Sept. 27, 1812; d. Sept. 1833.
156. vi. Sarah Ann⁵, b. Jan. 12, 1814; d. Aug. 1834.
- +157. vii. Samuel Trotter⁵, b. May 8, 1816; d. Stoddard Co., Mo., 1866; m. in Trimble Co., Ky., Oct. 14, 1837, Lucena Moreland.
158. viii. Andrew Price⁵, b. Apr. 21, 1818; d. Sept. 1853.
159. ix. Augustine Lewis⁵, b. Mar. 7, 1820; m. Lucinda
———.
160. x. Polly⁵, b. Nov. 12, 1821; d. 1823.
- All were born in Jessamine Co., Ky.

FIFTH GENERATION

104. WILLIS⁵ CURD (James⁴, John³, John², Edward¹), b. in Kentucky, January 7, 1793; d. in Missouri, August 1866, son of James Curd and Mary Ann Perkins; m. (1) November 8, 1827, Mary Scott, b. September 11, 1802; d. November 24, 1845, dau. of Joseph Scott, m. May 1849, Celia South. He settled in Missouri.

CHILDREN BY FIRST WIFE

161. i. Mary A.⁶, b. Apr. 5, 1832; d. unmarried, July 29, 1845.
- +162. ii. James W.⁶, b. Apr. 18, 1834; d. Dec. 24, 1875; m. (1) Oct. 16, 1860 or 61, Jane Church; m. (2) June 8, 1870, Lucy McFarland of Ralls Co., Mo.
163. iii. Nancy Price⁶, b. Clark Co., Mo., June 20, 1837; d. July 15, 1915; m. Mar. 26, 1857, Willis Caldwell Mitchell.
164. iv. Jane ("Jennie")⁶, b. in Clark Co., Mo., Mar. 11, 1839; d. Jan. 25, 1888; m. Mar. 1864, Wm. D. Pegram of Montgomery Co., Mo., b. Aug. 1837. They had one child, Curd Pegram, b. in Moberly, Mo., May 1871; d. May 1875.
165. v. Catherine (Kate)⁶, b. in Clark Co., Mo., May 10, 1842; d. May 22, 1871; m. June 1870, William Leach of Montgomery Co., Mo., b. 1838.

110. JOHN HUGHES⁵ CURD (James⁴, John³, John², Edward¹), b. 1804; d. October 10, 1869, son of James Curd and Mary Ann Perkins; m. (1) June 19, 1827, Emily C. Hickman, dau. of Francis Hickman; m. (2) September 1842, Deborah Freeland, b. 1821, d. 1860.

CHILDREN—CURD

166. i. Diana⁶, b. Sept. 11, 1843.

167. ii. Mary Ann Brent⁶, b. Nov. or Dec. 30, 1844; m. Aug. 28, 1877, Samuel L. Woody, b. Oct. 1838; d. Oct. 20, 1905.

112. BENJAMIN PERKINS⁵ CURD (James⁴, John³, John², Edward¹), b. Jessamine Co., Ky., April 10, 1810; d. Hannibal, Mo., November 19, 1888, son of James Curd and Mary Ann Perkins; m. September 18, 1832, Mary Ann Bryan, b. Fayette Co., Ky., Aug. 18, 1812; d. Dec. 22, 1887, dau. of Lewis Bryan. They removed to Missouri about 1832.

CHILDREN—CURD

168. i. Lewis Bryan⁶, b. Lewis Co., Mo., June 25, 1833; d. Feb. 2, 1867, unmarried.

169. ii. Nancy Price⁶, b. Sept. 9, 1834; d. Nov. 24, 1834.

170. iii. Mary Ann⁶, b. Sept. 1, 1835; d. Nov. 14, 1845.

+171. iv. James⁶, b. Jan. 11, 1838; d. Feb. 27, 1915; m. Sept. 20, 1866, Margaret J. Feagan.

172. v. Eliza Barckley⁶, b. Mar. 15, 1839; d. Columbus, N. Mex., Jan. 1926; m. Nov. 18, 1858, Dr. Hubbard Kavanaugh Hinde, b. Jan. 6, 1834; d. Dec. 1915.

+173. vi. Thomas Edward⁶, b. Marion Co., Mo., Apr. 5, 1844; d. Mar. 3, 1905; m. Mar. 15, 1871, Esabelle Leeper, b. Feb. 26, 1852.

174. vii. William B.⁶, b. Dec. 3, 1849; d. Kansas City, Mo., May 13, 1916; m. Dec. 3, 1873, Celeste Belle Harriman, dau. of John Harriman of Chilli-cothe, Mo. This William B. Curd is the one who compiled part of the material contained in Mrs. Truog's Curd genealogy.

118. JOHN BRENT⁵ CURD (John⁴, John³, John², Edward¹), son of John Curd and his wife Ann Williams Curd; m. January 15, 1818, Louisa C. Slaughter. He settled in Christian Co., Ky.

The only record we have been able to find of his children is in a deed of trust for their benefit from their grandfather John Curd. Deeds dated March 1823 and December 25, 1824, Christian Co., Ky. records. He died prior to 1838.

CHILDREN—CURD

- 175. i. John Spencer⁶.
- 176. ii. Edward S.⁶
- 177. iii. Sally Ann McLaughlin⁶, m. May 15, 1838, R. H. Davidge.

He had, possibly, another daughter, Lucy Brent, who m. Feb. 12, 1846, Edmund H. Curd of Logan and Calloway Cos., Ky.

122. WILLIAM ELLIOTT⁵ CURD (John⁴, John³, John², Edward¹), b. April 30, 1807; d. December 15, 1847, son of Major John Curd and Nancy Williams Curd; m. Russellville, Ky., January 16, 1831, Ann Maria Ely, b. April 8, 1805; d. July 23, 1881.

CHILDREN—CURD

- 178. i. Elizabeth C.⁶, b. Apr. 6, 1834; d. Dec. 23, 1915; m. Charles W. Nourse, b. Jan. 21, 1834; d. July 24, 1897.
- 179. ii. Mary⁶, m. Eli Robinson.

128. WILLIAM⁵ CURD (Newton⁴, John³, John², Edward¹), b. 1800; d. 1869, son of Newton Curd and Ann Elizabeth Hatcher; m. Lucinda Coghill.

CHILDREN—CURD

- 180. i. Ann Catherine⁶, b. 1825; m. Aaron Voris.
- 181. ii. Elizabeth Sutton⁶, b. 1826; m. S. L. Bradshaw.
- +182. iii. William, Jr.⁶, b. 1829, m. Susan Askins.
- +183. iv. Thomas J.⁶, b. 1831; m. Dec. 4, 1869, Mary L. Sallee.
- +184. v. Newton S.⁶, b. 1835; m. Lucy E. Munday.
- +185. vi. Littleton⁶, b. 1837; m. Sarah F. Adams.
- 186. vii. John Henry⁶, b. 1840; d. in Confederate Army, 1864.

131. RICHARD ALLEN⁵ CURD (Price⁴, John³, John², Edward¹), b. 1801; d. March 1836, son of Price Curd and Fannie Allen; m. May 8, 1823, Eleanor Hart Hunt, dau. of John Hunt and

sister to the mother of Gen. John Hunt Morgan and to Charlton Hunt one of the early Mayors of Lexington. Will dated March 3, 1836, proved same month, names wife Eleanor and says children are to be educated but does not give their names. The children are named in the will of their mother dated April 9, 1868, when all except one were married.

CHILDREN—CURD

- 187. i. Catherine H.⁶, m. June 20, 1844, John B. Tilford.
- 188. ii. Frances Price⁶, b. 1825; d. 1885; m. Nov. 7, 1844, Charles Scott Bodley.
- 189. iii. Richard Allen, Jr.⁶
- 190. iv. Eleanor H.⁶, m. Nov. 3, 1853, J. C. Wickliffe.
- 191. v. Theodosia A.⁶, b. 1836; m. Apr. 26, 1870, Col. William Douglas Pickett, C.S.A. and d. shortly thereafter; had an only child, William Douglas, Jr., b. 1871; d. 1874.
- 192. vi. John W.⁶, d. in the Mexican War. Will proved Sept. 12, 1849.

135. HAIDEN TRIGG⁵ CURD (Daniel⁴, John³, John², Edward¹), b. Glasgow, Ky., April 26, 1804; d. Louisville, Ky., February 24, 1859, son of Daniel Curd and Fannie S. Trigg; m. February 26, 1830, Martha Ann Edmunds, b. December 7, 1813; d. June 22, 1868, dau. of Capt. William Edmunds and his wife Mary Ann Penn who came to Kentucky from Amherst Co., Va. Haiden Trigg Curd was a prominent wholesale merchant and influential citizen in the early history of Louisville serving on the boards of many important organizations of that city. The Methodist Episcopal Church South was established May 17, 1845, in the Fourth Street Church at Louisville. A missionary board was formed, a constitution adopted and the following officers elected: President, Bishop Soule of Kentucky, Corresponding Secretary, Ben Drake of Mississippi, Treasurer, Haiden Trigg Curd of Kentucky*. Mr. Curd continued in this office until his death. The town of Curdsville in Davies Co., Ky. was named in his honor although no Curds ever lived there.

CHILDREN—CURD

- 193. i. John Tomkins⁶, b. Mar. 1, 1831; d. Apr. 5, 1841.

*Johnson's *Memorial History of Louisville*.

- 194. ii. William Edmunds⁶, b. Apr. 21, 1833; d. Dec. 9, 1872; m. Oct. 4, 1855, Elizabeth Cunningham. She d. Aug. 2, 1884, without issue.
- 195. iii. Mary Fanny⁶, b. Feb. 24, 1835; d. Jan. 8, 1908; m. Jan. 31, 1856, George R. Miller.
- 196. iv. Lucy James⁶, b. Apr. 4, 1837; d. June 28, 1908; m. (1) July 24, 1859, Henry M. McEwin; m. (2) Nov. 12, 1868, Daniel Flavel Wilkin.
- 197. v. Daniel⁶, b. Dec. 14, 1839; d. Mar. 24, 1841.
- 198. vi. Martha Ann⁶, b. July 23, 1843; d. Aug. 4, 1869; m. June 1869, Morton B. Howell of Nashville, Tenn. His second wife.
- 199. vii. Sarah Holman⁶, b. June 26, 1845; d. Nov. 1881; m. June 1, 1865, James Steele.
- +200. viii. Elizabeth Capers Trigg⁶, b. Sept. 9, 1848; m. Nov. 3, 1870, Morton B. Howell of Nashville, Tenn. His third wife.
- +201. ix. Haiden Trigg⁶, b. Jan. 10, 1850; d. Aug. 5, 1889; m. June 1878, Annie Joyes, b. Mar. 30, 1856; d. Dec. 5, 1931, dau. of Patrick Joyes of Louisville.
- +202. x. Charles Paine⁶, b. Sept. 20, 1851; d. June 4, 1906; m. 1880, Selene Harding of Nashville, Tenn.
- +203. xi. James Pryor⁶, b. June 3, 1855; d. Sept. 1919; m. Feb. 17, 1880, Margaret Swearengen.

136. JOHN BRENT⁵ CURD (Daniel⁴, John³, John², Edward¹), b. December 27, 1806; d. abt. 1852, son of Daniel Curd and Fannie S. Trigg; m. Helen Chaplin, dau. of William Chaplin and Betty Perkins. He went to Mercer Co. then to Pulaski Co., Ky.

CHILDREN—CURD

- 204. i. Elizabeth⁶, m. John Crawford.
- 205. ii. Alason Trigg⁶, m. Rebecca Woods.
- +206. iii. William Chaplin⁶, m. Belle O. Saunders.
- 207. iv. Sarah Ann⁶ ("Sallie"), m. Maj. Alderson Keene.
- 208. v. Martha Jane⁶, m. J. B. Gragg.

140. HAVILAH PRICE⁵ CURD (Daniel⁴, John³, John², Edward¹), b. Barren Co., 1817; d. Cave City, Ky., July 18, 1884, son of Daniel Curd and Fannie S. Trigg; m. 1851, Letitia Y. Mosby, dau. of Thomas Mosby and Judith Martin of Woodford Co., Ky.

CHILDREN—CURD

- +209. i. Daniel Trigg⁶, b. June 23, 1856; m. Nov. 13, 1878, Kate R. Wilson.
 - 210. ii. Elizabeth Irby⁶, b. Feb. 3, 1863; m. Dec. 16, 1885, George Thomas Tucker.
 - +211. iii. John Brent⁶, b. Nov. 1865; d. Apr. 26, 1891; m. 1887, Syrene Petty.
 - +212. iv. Oscar Frank⁶, b. Oct. 18, 1868; m. Jan. 14, 1891, Kate E. Grimes.
 - 213. v. Clara Winn⁶, b. Apr. 5, 1871; m. Dec. 21, 1887, Will G. Overstreet.
 - +214. vi. Cyrus Haiden⁶, b. Apr. 12, 1873; m. (1) Aug. 27, 1895, Rufie Ivy, dau. of Jesse W. Ivy and Margaret Walker; m. (2) Aug. 7, 1934, Goldia Dunn.
- There were four other children who d. in infancy.

143. BEVERLY DANIEL⁵ CURD (Daniel⁴, John³, John², Edward¹), b. December 26, 1826; d. August 16, 1898, son of Daniel Curd and Fannie S. Trigg; m. November 2, 1849, Mariah L. Stark, b. December 3, 1830; d. November 15, 1891, dau. of Theophilus Stark of Culpepper Co., Va. Beverly Daniel and his wife are buried at Cave City, Ky.

CHILDREN—CURD

- 215. i. Fannie Lucinda⁶, b. 1853; m. May 21, 1872, Hardin Young Davis.
- 216. ii. Lucy C.⁶, b. 1855; d. unmarried.
- 217. iii. Patty W.⁶, b. 1857; d. unmarried.
- 218. iv. Daniel⁶, b. Mar. 20, 1862; d. Oct. 30, 1918, unmarried.
- +219. v. Edwin W.⁶, b. 1864; d. 1923; m. Anne M. Smith, b. 1868; d. 1933.
- 220. vi. Mary Elizabeth⁶, b. Jan. 4, 1867; m. 1887, Eugene Ford.
- 221. vii. Bunny⁶, b. Jan. 31, 1869; m. Henry C. King. They live in Oklahoma.
- 222. viii. Theophilus⁶, b. Sept. 1871; d. unmarried.

153. WILLIAM T.⁵ CURD (Merryman B.⁴, John³, John², Edward¹), son of Merryman B. Curd and Polly Kay, b. Jessamine Co., Ky., January 18, 1809; d. February 4, 1875; m. in Oldham Co., Ky., April 19, 1830, Elizabeth Moreland, b. November 3, 1808;

d. November 19, 1888, dau. of Jesse Moreland. Settled in Marion Co., Ind.

CHILDREN—CURD

- +223. i. James M.⁶, b. Mar. 1, 1831; m. and had issue.
- +224. ii. Merryman B.⁶, b. Mar. 22, 1832; d. Jan. 18, 1917; m. Feb. 8, 1855, Margaret Jennings.

157. SAMUEL TROTTER⁵ CURD (Merryman B.⁴, John³, John², Edward¹), son of Merryman B. Curd and Polly Kay, b. Jessamine Co., Ky., May 8, 1816; d. Stoddard Co., Mo., 1866; m. Trimble Co., Ky., October 14, 1837, Lucy (Lucena) Moreland, dau. of Jesse Moreland. October 10, 1859, he sold the last of his land holdings in Trimble Co., Ky., to Elijah Chandler, and removed to Stoddard Co., Mo., settling six miles east of Puxico at the present site of Curdton, where he bought land January 2, 1860.

He died intestate 1866 and his estate was ordered sold at public sale, August 13, 1866, and when sold was purchased by his son Samuel P. Curd.

CHILDREN—CURD

- +225. i. Jesse A.⁶, b. 1840; d. 1895; m. 1866, Rosetta J. Hammons.
- +226. ii. Samuel Price⁶, b. Dec. 5, 1842; d. Aug. 8, 1893; m. Feb. 28, 1867, Mary E. St. John.
- 227. iii. Newton⁶, b. 1859; d. 1923; never married.
- 228. iv. Josephine E.⁶, m. Jesse Jackson; living, 1935, at Marble Hill, p. o. Lutesville, Mo.
- 229. v. Sarah Jane⁶, m. James G. Gaines.
- 230. vi. Mary Jane⁶, m. "Buck" Gaines.
- 231. vii. Emily E.⁶, m. "Bud" Bess.

SIXTH GENERATION

162. JAMES W.⁶ CURD (Willis⁵, James⁴, John³, John², Edward¹), b. April 18, 1834; d. December 24, 1875, son of Willis Curd and Mary Scott; m. (1) October 16, 1860 or 61, Jane Church, b. February 10, 1837, d. August 31, 1866; m. (2) June 8, 1870, Lucy McFarland, b. March 9, 1852, d. Dec. 1, 1894. She m. (2) Richard Dalton.

CHILD BY FIRST WIFE

- 232. i. Willis Williard⁷, b. Feb. 22, 1861; d. July 22, 1863.

CHILDREN BY SECOND WIFE

233. ii. Walter Gay⁷, b. Aug. 17, 1871; m. Jan. 4, 1896, Mrs. Marie (Yerger) Bignoll.
234. iii. Jennie⁷, b. Jan. 31, 1874; m. June 15, 1893, John Tate Fisher.

171. JAMES⁶ CURD (Benjamin P.⁵, James⁴, John³, John², Edward¹), b. January 11, 1838; d. February 27, 1915, son of Benjamin Perkins Curd and Mary Ann Perkins; m. Sept. 20, 1866, Margaret J. Feagan.

CHILDREN—CURD

235. i. Mary Lillian⁷, b. Aug. 17, 1868.
236. ii. Russella⁷, b. July 14, 1870.
237. iii. Anna M.⁷, b. Aug. 30, 1871.
238. iv. William B.⁷, b. Sept. 27, 1873.
239. v. James G.⁷, b. Nov. 28, 1878; d. July 26, 1881.

173. THOMAS EDWARD⁶ CURD (Benjamin P.⁵, James⁴, John³, John², Edward¹), b. April 5, 1844; d. March 3, 1905, son of Benjamin P. Curd and Mary Ann Perkins; m. March 15, 1871, Esabelle Leeper, b. Feb. 26, 1852.

CHILDREN—CURD

240. i. Lewis B.⁷, b. Jan. 4, 1872; m. Feb. 12, 1914, Susan B. Dixon of Henderson, Ky.; living at Ft. Worth, Tex., 1935.
241. ii. Mary E.⁷, b. Aug. 18, 1874; d. Jan. 28, 1833.
242. iii. Jessie T.⁷, b. Sept. 19, 1884; m. Oct. 28, 1908, Thomas C. Bass.

182. WILLIAM⁶ CURD (William⁵, Newton⁴, John³, John², Edward¹), b. 1829, son of William Curd and Lucinda Coghill; m. Susan Askins.

CHILDREN—CURD

243. i. Eleazer⁷, b. 1853; m. Susan Mary Adams.
244. ii. William⁷, b. 1854; m. Lucy Jane Bradshaw.
245. iii. Peachie⁷, b. 1857; m. Asa G. Adams.
246. iv. Hugh⁷, b. 1860; m. Ida Reeves.

183. THOMAS J.⁶ CURD (William⁵, Newton⁴, John³, John², Edward¹), b. 1831, son of William Curd and Lucinda Coghill; m. Mary L. Sallee.

CHILDREN—CURD

- 247. i. Nora H.⁷, b. 1870; m. J. W. Proctor.
- 248. ii. George⁷, b. 1874.
- 249. iii. Merritt F.⁷, b. 1879; m. Avis Miller.

184. NEWTON SPENCER⁶ CURD (William⁵, Newton⁴, John³, John², Edward¹), son of William Curd and Lucinda Coghill; m. Lucy E. Munday.

CHILDREN—CURD

- 250. i. Ida⁷, m. Jesse Hawkins.
- 251. ii. Hattie⁷, m. Jack Stone.
- 252. iii. Lilly⁷, m. a Keene.

185. LITTLETON⁶ CURD (William⁵, Newton⁴, John³, John², Edward¹), b. 1835, son of William Curd and Lucinda Coghill; m. Sarah F. Adams.

CHILDREN—CURD

- 253. i. William Henry⁷, b. 1866.
- 254. ii. Lucy Jane⁷, b. 1868; m. Thomas Gibson.
- 255. iii. Mary E.⁷, b. 1870.
- 256. iv. Zella May⁷, b. 1875; m. George J. Freeman.
- 257. v. James Littleton⁷, b. 1879.
- 258. vi. Thomas Albert⁷, b. 1881.
- 259. vii. Bertha Maud⁷, b. 1885.

200. ELIZABETH C. T.⁶ CURD (Haiden T.⁵, Daniel⁴, John³, John², Edward¹), b. Sept. 9, 1848, dau. of Haiden T. Curd and Martha Ann Edmunds; m. Nov. 3, 1870, as third wife, Hon. Morton B. Howell of Nashville, Tenn.

CHILDREN—HOWELL

- i. Pattie Curd⁷, b. Aug. 18, 1871; m. Dec. 10, 1891, William C. Pollard.
- ii. Mary Toy⁷, b. Jan. 21, 1873; m. Oct. 17, 1905, Thomas S. Weaver.
- iii. Haiden Curd⁷, b. Mar. 1875; d. 1876.
- iv. Elizabeth Morton⁷, b. Aug. 14, 1876; d. unmarried, Apr. 2, 1907.
- v. Judge Robt. Boyte Crawford⁷, b. Sept. 4, 1878; m. Oct. 29, 1902, Nellie Jackson.

- vi. Annie Haiden⁷, b. Sept. 3, 1880; m. June 5, 1900, Robert Orr, Jr.
- vii. Margaret Harding⁷, b. Jan. 26, 1882; m. June 7, 1905, Matthew C. Butler, Jr.
- viii. Joseph Toy⁷, b. Feb. 9, 1884; m. Jan. 1916, Mamie Craig of Pulaski, Tenn.
- ix. Frank Gillespie⁷, b. Jan. 22, 1886; d. 1887.
- x. Rachel Boyte⁷, b. Oct. 2, 1889; m. Dec. 5, 1912, Hooper Love.

201. HAIDEN TRIGG⁶ CURD, JR. (Haiden T.⁵, Daniel⁴, John³, John², Edward¹), b. Jan. 10, 1850; d. Aug. 4, 1889, son of H. T. Curd and Martha Ann Edmunds; m. June 1878, Annie Joyes, dau. of Patrick Joyes of Louisville, Ky.

CHILDREN—CURD

- 260. i. Florence Joyes⁷, m. Percy Booth.
- 261. ii. Pattie⁷, m. Heuling Davis.
- 262. iii. Haiden Trigg⁷, d. young.
- 263. iv. Patrick Joyes⁷, Lieut. U. S. Air Service.

202. CHARLES PAINE⁶ CURD (Haiden T.⁵, Daniel⁴, John³, John², Edward¹), b. Sept. 20, 1851; d. June 4, 1906, son of H. T. Curd and Martha Ann Edmunds; m. Dec. 1880, Selene Harding, dau. of John Harding of Nashville, Tenn. He was a graduate of Vanderbilt University, Nashville, and of Washington University Law School, St. Louis, Mo. Taught for a while in the public schools at Nashville, Tenn. Occupied the Chair of Latin in Smith Academy, a department of Washington University, St. Louis, Mo.; and became principal of Smith Academy, 1896, and held that position at the time of his death. Vanderbilt University conferred on him the degree LL. D.

CHILDREN—CURD

- 264. i. Haiden Trigg⁷, b. 1881; d. Oct. 31, 1922; m. Julia Hill of St. Louis, Mo. No issue.
- 265. ii. John Harding⁷, b. May 1889; m. (1) 1912, Eunice Haddaway of St. Louis, Mo.; m. (2) Anna Stone Marshall, dau. of John Shelby Marshall of Natchez, Miss.

203. JAMES PRYOR⁶ CURD (Haiden T.⁵, Daniel⁴, John³, John², Edward¹), b. June 3, 1855; d. September 1913, son of H. T.

Curd and Martha Ann Edmunds; m. February 1879, Margaret Swearengen.

CHILDREN—CURD

- 266. i. Mary Embry⁷, b. 1880; m. 1900, Gilbert S. Cowan.
- 267. ii. Margaret Swearengen⁷, b. July 1889; m. Chenault Dearing.

206. WILLIAM CHAPLIN⁶ CURD (John B.⁵, Daniel⁴, John³, John², Edward¹), b. August 3, 1838; d. October 26, 1901; m. Bell O. Saunders. Lived at Somerset, Ky. He was circuit court clerk of Pulaski Co., Ky. when the Civil War broke out, and, having espoused the cause of the South, assisted in raising a company of soldiers in the Counties of Pulaski and Wayne, known as Company C., 6th Ky. Confederate Cavalry, Grigsby's Regiment, under General John H. Morgan, of which Company he was made First Lieutenant. He was captured by the Federals at Buffington, O. in the memorable raid of July 1863, and confined in Camp Chase for a considerable time. When exchanged, he returned to his command where he remained until the close of the war. He was one of President Davis' bodyguard when Mr. Davis was captured at the close of hostilities.

CHILDREN—CURD

- 268. i. Jean Fox⁷, b. Jan. 22, 1875; m. Samuel Morrow, b. July 26, 1873.
- 269. ii. Clara⁷, b. Oct. 6, 1877; m. Dec. 14, 1897, J. L. Hardin of Chattanooga, Tenn.; m. (2) Harry Ragland of Glenn Springs, Col.
- 270. iii. William Cantrill⁷, b. May 28, 1880; m. (1) June 24, 1902 at LaFayette, Ind., Mary Thompson; m. (2) Jonella Zintgraf of St. Louis, Mo.
- 271. iv. George Brent⁷, b. Nov. 21, 1887; m. May 3, 1911, Anna Gruesser; lives at Cincinnati, O. Four children.

209. DANIEL TRIGG⁶ CURD (Havilah P.⁵, Haiden T.⁴, John³, John², Edward¹), b. June 23, 1856, son of Havilah Price Curd and Letitia Mosby; m. Nov. 13, 1878, Kate R. Wilson.

CHILDREN—CURD

- 272. i. Howard Newman⁷, b. Feb. 26, 1882; m. Nov. 12, 1908, Lallah Allen, b. Jan. 8, 1889; d. Aug. 18, 1914.

- 273. ii. Elizabeth Mosby⁷, b. Feb. 26, 1885; m. Nov. 12, 1901, H. Y. Davis, Jr.
- 274. iii. John Brent⁷, b. Feb. 1, 1892; m. Dec. 26, 1916, Mary Barlow.
- 275. iv. Daniel Trigg, Jr.⁷, b. Dec. 3, 1896; m. June 23, 1923, Virginia Hoover.
- 276. v. Wilson Garnet⁷, b. Aug. 5, 1897; d. Oct. 3, 1901.

211. JOHN BRENT⁶ CURD (Havilah P.⁵, Haiden T.⁴, John³, John², Edward¹), b. November 1865; d. April 26, 1891, son of Havilah Price Curd and Letitia Mosby; m. 1887, Syrene Petty.

CHILD—CURD

- 277. i. Lucilla⁷, b. Feb. 1888; m. Lee P. Miller; live at Louisville, Ky.

212. OSCAR FRANK⁶ CURD (Havilah P.⁵, Haiden T.⁴, John³, John², Edward¹), b. October 18, 1868, son of Havilah Price Curd and Letitia Mosby; m. January 14, 1891, Kate E. Grimes.

CHILDREN—CURD

- 278. i. Marguerite⁷, b. Nov. 1, 1891; m. June 22, 1922, W. E. Pitt.
- 279. ii. Oscar Frank, Jr.⁷, b. June 23, 1893; m. Sept. 18, 1919, Mabel Collier.
- 280. iii. Mary Cecilia⁷, b. Aug. 26, 1896; single 1934.
- 281. iv. Alice White⁷, b. Nov. 30, 1898; m. Aug. 1923, Will McQuown.
- 282. v. Elizabeth⁷, b. Dec. 27, 1900; m. May 31, 1930, Ben Hunger.
- 283. vi. Catherine Preston⁷, b. Apr. 9, 1909; single 1934.

214. CYRUS HAIDEN⁶ CURD (Havilah Price⁵, Daniel⁴, John³, John², Edward¹), b. Cave City, Ky., April 12, 1873, son of Havilah Price Curd and Letitia Mosby; m. (1) August 27, 1895, Rufie Ivy, dau. of Jesse W. Ivy and Margaret Walker. She d. February 15, 1932; m. (2) at Murray, Ky., August 7, 1934, Goldia (McKeel) Dunn, dau. of William Harner McKeel and Eula Waters. He moved from Kentucky to Mississippi then to Collierville, Tenn., then to Holly Springs, Miss. where he was County Superintendent of Education for 16 years and is proprietor of Holly Springs weekly paper, the South Reporter.

CHILDREN—CURD

- 284. i. Haidee Dickey⁷, b. Mar. 13, 1897; m. Mar. 26, 1926, John R. McDermott. Has two children.
- 285. ii. Havilah Price⁷, b. Oct. 1, 1898; m. Nov. 7, 1928, Ruth McClure, dau. of John W. McClure of Memphis.
- 286. iii. Cyrus Hunter⁷, b. Jan. 23, 1900; m. June 14, 1936, Martha Tarver, dau. of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas H. Tarver of Walls, Miss.

All born at Collierville, Tennessee.

219. EDWIN W.⁶ CURD (Beverly D.⁵, Daniel⁴, John³, John², Edward¹), b. 1864; d. 1923, son of Beverly D. Curd and Mariah L. Stark; m. Annie M. Smith, b. 1868; d. 1933; lived at Cave City, Ky.

CHILDREN—CURD

- 287. i. Elizabeth ("Bess")⁷, b. Nov. 9, 1885.
- 288. ii. Daniel S.⁷, b. May 5, 1890; d. 1937; m. Elizabeth Ellis.
- 289. iii. Edwin W., Jr.⁷, b. Nov. 13, 1894.
- 290. iv. Mariah, b. June 12, 1908; m. Rev. Walter Lawrenson.

223. JAMES M.⁶ CURD (William T.⁵, Merryman B.⁴, John³, John², Edward¹), b. March 1, 1831. Do not have name of wife or date of marriage. Lived in Indiana.

CHILDREN—CURD

- 291. i. John Edgar⁷, b. Oct. 10, 1852; d. Feb. 7, 1853.
- 292. ii. Luther T.⁷, b. Sept. 13, 1856.
- 293. iii. Elizabeth M.⁷, b. Mar. 3, 1859; d. Oct. 6, 1864.
- 294. iv. Mary M.⁷, b. Nov. 23, 1860.
- 295. v. James E.⁷, b. Aug. 28, 1863.

224. MERRYMAN B.⁶ CURD (William T.⁵, Merryman B.⁴, John³, John², Edward¹), b. November 29, 1832; d. January 18, 1917, son of W. T. Curd and Elizabeth Moreland; m. February 8, 1855, Margaret Jennings. Lived in Indiana.

CHILDREN—CURD

- 296. i. John William⁷, b. May 20, 1856; d. Oct. 1, 1922; m. Lorena Todd.

297. ii. James Thompson⁷, b. Apr. 19, 1858; m. Anna Bentley.
298. iii. Mary E.⁷, b. Mar. 6, 1868; d. Aug. 23, 1890.

225. JESSE A.⁶ CURD (Samuel T.⁵, Merryman B.⁴, John³?, John², Edward¹), b. 1840; d. 1895, son of Samuel T. Curd and Lucy Moreland; m. 1866, Rosetta J. Hammons. Lived in Missouri.

CHILDREN—CURD

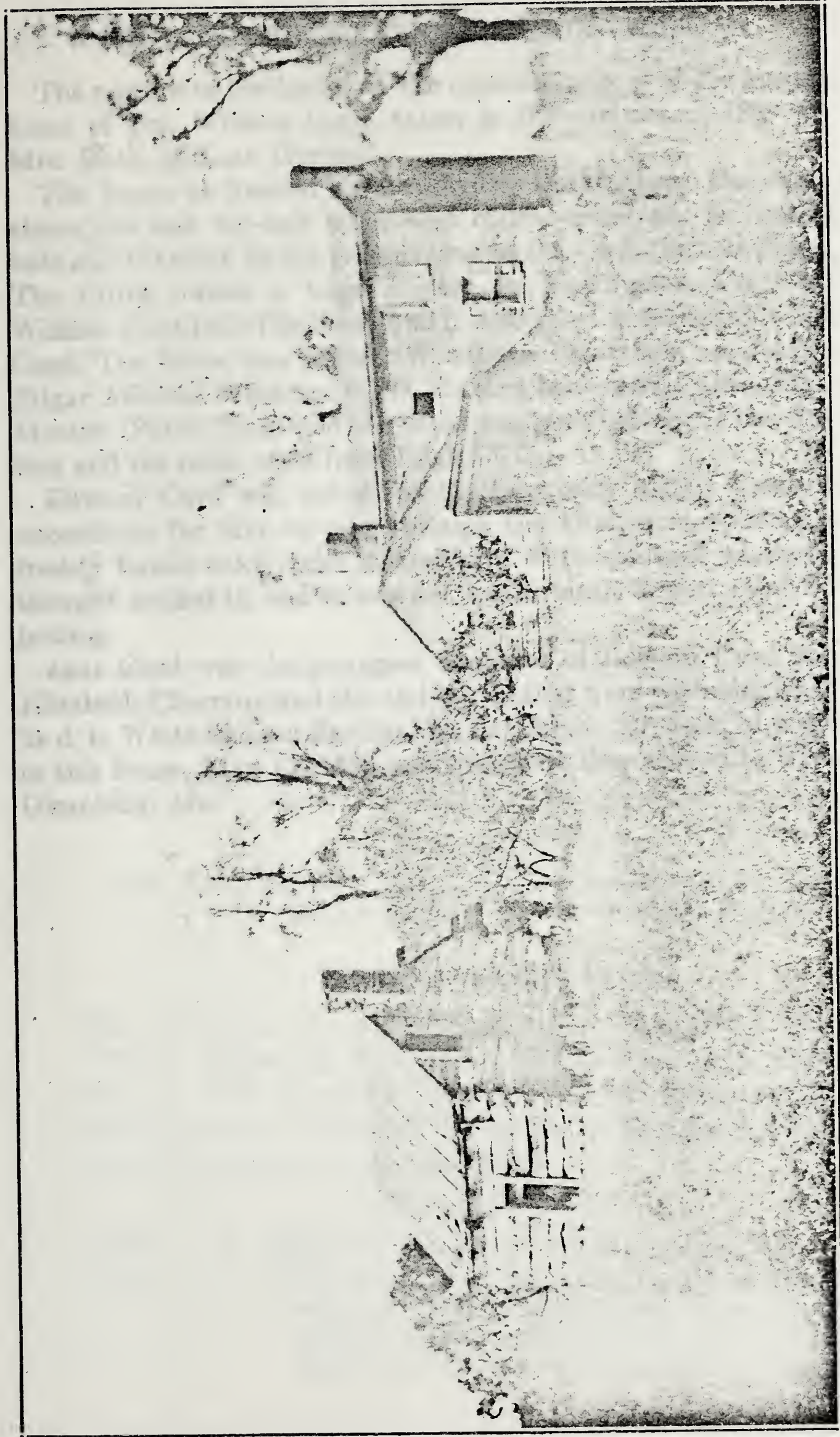
299. i. Lettie R.⁷, b. May 25, 1867; d. Nov. 19, 1897; m. James Christian.
300. ii. Alma⁷, b. 1871; m. 1899, Nicholas Schrum.
301. iii. Finis P.⁷, b. Oct. 18, 1873; d. Sept. 1, 1901.
302. iv. Adelia⁷, b. 1875; m. 1890, Robert Hamlett.
303. v. Alva F.⁷, b. 1877; d. 1896.

226. SAMUEL PRICE⁶ CURD (Samuel T.⁵, Merryman B.⁴, John³?, John², Edward¹), b. December 5, 1842; d. August 8, 1893, son of Samuel T. Curd and Lucy Moreland; m. February 28, 1867, Mary E. St. John. He removed from Trimble Co., Ky., to Stoddard Co., Mo., with his father settling six miles east of Puxico where he founded the hamlet of Curdton. He was a confederate soldier serving in Company H. Southern Missouri Volunteers throughout the war. His widow, d. September 19, 1933, aged 85 years, 10 months, 9 days. Both are buried at Curdton, Mo.

CHILDREN—CURD

304. i. James Samuel⁷, b. July 17, 1869; d. Aug. 1, 1919; never married.
305. ii. Sellie⁷, b. Mar. 26, 1871; m. Dec. 31, 1885, Solomon Stanley; living at Curdton, Mo., 1935.
306. iii. Ruthy P.⁷, b. May 8, 1873; m. 1892, Edgar Moseley.
307. iv. Della⁷, b. Dec. 15, 1875; m. 1905, Jesse Punch.
308. v. Galla Donna⁷, b. Dec. 5, 1879; d. Sept. 9, 1905; m. B. J. Cline.

There were two other children who d. young.



WILLIAM CURD'S BRICK PLANTATION HOME IN CURDSVILLE, VA.

Built before 1776 of bricks that came from England as ship's ballast

WOODLAWN PLANTATION—CURDSVILLE, VA.

The picture of the house on the opposite page is of the former home of Col. William Curd, taken in the summer of 1929 by Mrs. Ruth McLean Gordon.

The house is located at Curdsville, Buckingham Co., Va., about one and one-half miles west of the crossroads at Curdsville and is known at the present time as the Cook Garnett place. The Curds owned a large acreage in Buckingham Co. Col. William Curd built this house and it descended to his son Edward Curd. The home was called "Woodlawn Plantation" and Mrs. Edgar Allen of Washington, D. C. says her grandmother, Mrs. Morton (Patsy Curd) said the house was built before the Revolution and the brick came from England.

Edward Curd was noted for his generosity and it was not uncommon for him to pass through the kitchen and seeing a freshly baked cake, take it and give it to someone whom he thought needed it, and it was not known until dessert came up lacking.

Jane Curd was the youngest daughter of Edward Curd and Elizabeth Cherraun and she and her mother were with him when he d. in White Sulphur Springs, W. Va.; she m. Dr. John McLean in this house, May 12, 1836 and from here they moved to Cape Girardeau, Mo.

Group Three—Third Generation

DESCENDANTS OF WILLIAM³ CURD

10. WILLIAM³ CURD (John², Edward¹), son of John Curd and Elizabeth Price; m. (1) abt. 1763, Mary Watkins, dau. of Thomas Watkins of Henrico Co., Va.; m. (2) Ann, surname unknown. He settled in the southern part of Buckingham Co., Va., near the present site of Curdsville where he owned 400 acres of land known as "Woodlawn Plantation" which, after his death, became the property of his son Edward. He was captain of militia in the Revolution; d. abt. 1797-98. The town of Curdsville in Buckingham Co., Va., was named for William Curd by Peter Francisco, a Portugese of Revolutionary fame who received 40 acres of land from William Curd as a gift and at the conclusion of the war set up a blacksmith shop on this land which later grew into the town of Curdsville.

CHILDREN—CURD

- 309. i. Susannah⁴, b. Oct. 11, 1764 (*Douglas Register*).
- +310. ii. Edward⁴, b. Apr. 13, 1766 (Bible record); m. abt. 1783, Elizabeth Cherraun (Charoon), dau. of Anthony Charoon.
- 311. iii. Mary⁴, b. Oct. 10, 1767 (*Douglas Register*).

CHILD BY SECOND WIFE

- 312. iv. Charles⁴, m. in Prince Edward Co., Dec. 2, 1807, Ann Lumpkin, dau. of Moore Lumpkin.

FOURTH GENERATION

310. EDWARD⁴ CURD (William³, John², Edward¹), b. April 13, 1766; d. August 30, 1835, son of William Curd and Mary Watkins; m. 1783, Elizabeth Cherraun, dau. of Anthony and Elizabeth Charraun (Charoon). He resided in Buckingham Co., Va., where he became a large land owner.

CHILDREN—CURD

- +313. i. Mary⁵, b. Nov. 11, 1783; m. James Land.
- +314. ii. Thomas⁵, b. Apr. 29, 1786; m. three times. The name of his first wife whom he m. prob. abt. 1806-07 is unknown; m. (2) May 3, 1816, Harriet Bagby; m. (3) Oct. 1817, Charlotte Ammonet.

- +315. iii. John⁵, b. Apr. 15, 1789; m. Martha Wilton.
- +316. iv. Martha F.⁵ ("Patsy"), b. Jan. 13, 1792; d. Aug. 6, 1862; m. Nov. 19, 1810, William Moseley Morton, b. Dec. 4, 1791; d. Apr. 12, 1820.
- 317. v. Fanny⁵, b. Oct. 1795; m. (1) a Moseley; m. (2) a Lancaster; had one child, Elizabeth Moseley, d. age 16.
- 318. vi. Elizabeth⁵, b. Apr. 26, 1798; d. abt. 1842; probably never married.
- +319. vii. Jane⁵, b. Aug. 17, 1800; d. Nov. 17, 1867; m. May 12, 1836, Dr. John McLean.
- 320. viii. Edward Watkins⁵, b. Nov. 2, 1806; d. 1847; m. Oct. 21, 1830, Ann Jane Watkins, dau. of John T. Watkins. His widow m. (2) 1848, Lucius Boyden. We find no record of any children who lived to maturity.

FIFTH GENERATION

313. MARY⁵ CURD (Edward⁴, William³, John², Edward¹), b. November 11, 1783, dau. of Edward Curd and Elizabeth Cherraun; m. James Land of Buckingham Co., Va.

CHILDREN—LAND

- i. William, m. (1) his cousin, Elizabeth Morton, dau. of William Moseley Morton and Martha Curd. Had one dau., Mary Edna who m. Edgar Allen of Birmingham, England. Mr. Allen later became assistant to the Attorney General of the United States.
- ii. John.
- iii. Thomas.
- iv. Robert.
- v. Jane.
- vi. Susannah.

314. THOMAS⁵ CURD (Edward⁴, William³, John², Edward¹), b. April 29, 1786, son of Edward Curd and Elizabeth Cherraun; m. (1) about 1806-07, name of wife unknown; m. (2) in Prince Edward Co., Va., May 3, 1816, Harriet Bagby; m. (3) in Buckingham Co., Va., October 19, 1817, Charlotte Ammonet, dau. of William Ammonet and Elizabeth Badgett. He removed from Buckingham Co., Va., about 1830 to Petersburg, O., then to Hillsboro, O.

CHILDREN BY FIRST WIFE

- 321. i. Eliza⁶, m. a Browning; probably removed to Ohio.
- 322. ii. Albert G.⁶, b. Jan. 7, 1810; d. Aug. 24, 1843 at Warminster, Va.; m. at Howardsville, Va., June 6, 1832, Sarah Frances Turner, who d. Apr. 6, 1868.
- 323. iii. John Edward⁶, b. Jan. 18, 1814; d. May 5, 1894; settled at Fincastle, Botetourt Co., Va., where he m. Aug. 3, 1837, Susan F. Luster.

CHILDREN BY THIRD WIFE

List possibly not complete. They lived in Ohio.

- 324. iv. Thomas H.⁶, b. Buckingham Co., Va., abt. 1827; d. at Cincinnati, O., June 28, 1890, aged 63 years; m. in Hamilton Co., O., May 13, 1853, Amanda G. —, b. June 30, 1835. He was a soldier in the Mexican War, and his widow filed claim for pension Sept. 18, 1890, which was granted.
- 325. v. William C.⁶. Possibly the William Curd who removed to Iowa and settled near Des Moines.
- 326. vi. Marquis L.⁶, purchased land in Highland Co., O., Nov. 1, 1844. No further record.

315. JOHN⁵ CURD (Edward⁴, William³, John², Edward¹), b. April 15, 1789; d. April 13, 1841, son of Edward Curd and Elizabeth Cherraun; m. October 11, 1810, Martha Welton, b. May 28, 1790; d. August 21, 1875, dau. of Aaron Welton and Nancy Hurst. They had an only child Margaret Ann Curd, b. August 17, 1811; d. October 3, 1890, who m. January 15, 1834, Dabney Minor Cosby.

CHILDREN—COSBY

- i. John Curd, b. Oct. 2, 1834; d. Apr. 20, 1885; m. Oct. 12, 1858, Elizabeth C. Chalmers, dau. of David Chalmers and Sarah E. Coleman. He was an Episcopal minister.
- ii. Dabney, b. Apr. 1836; d. Aug. 17, 1886. Never married. A gifted lawyer; served as First Lieut. Wharton's Brigade C. S. A.
- iii. Charles Edward, b. Nov. 19, 1837; d. Nov. 7, 1897; m. (1) Mary Van Benthuyzen; m. (2) Harriet (Turner) Shelton, dau. of Joseph Turner and widow of Charles Shelton. He served in the Confederate Army.



JUDGE EDWARD CURD McLEAN

Born March 7, 1845 — Died August 13, 1926

- iv. Martha Frances, b. Jan. 30, 1841; d. June 4, 1916; m. Sept. 23, 1868, Col. Henry Clay Derrick, Capt. of Engineers, C. S. A. and Col. of Engineers in the Egyptian Army, 1875-76.
- v. Susan Ann, b. May 20, 1843; d. Oct. 3, 1933; m. Nov. 29, 1866, Richard Cobbs Rowlett, a Confederate soldier.
- vi. Walter Tapp, b. Sept. 21, 1845; d. June 10, 1857.
- vii. Cornelia Carolina, b. June 16, 1847; d. Nov. 18, 1924; m. (1) Dec. 11, 1867, Capt. Jefferson Davis Van Benthuyzen, a nephew of Jefferson Davis, President of the Confederacy. They had a dau., Mary, who m. Murray M. McGuire, an attorney of Richmond, Va. Cornelia m. (2) Capt. Frank Nelson, C. S. A.
- viii. Margaret Lucilla, b. May 11, 1849; d. May 3, 1929; m. Major Robert Edmonson, a Confederate soldier.
- ix. Howard Welton, b. Mar. 7, 1852; d. Mar. 20, 1922; m. Mary Owens, dau. of Harrison Owens.
- x. Ellen Meade, b. May 17, 1855. Living at Halifax, Va., 1937.

316. MARTHA F.⁵ ("Patsy") CURD (Edward⁴, William³, John², Edward¹), b. January 13, 1792; d. August 6, 1862, dau. of Edward Curd and Elizabeth Cherraun; m. November 19, 1810, William Moseley Morton, b. December 4, 1791; d. April 12, 1820.

CHILDREN—MORTON

- i. Elizabeth W., b. Dec. 17, 1811; d. Nov. 28, 1852; m. Oct. 4, 1838, William Land, who d. Oct. 7, 1852.
- ii. Richard Moseley, b. Sept. 18, 1813; d. June 9, 1860; m. Dec. 19, 1838, Elizabeth Phaup of Cumberland Co., Va., b. Feb. 16, 1821; d. Nov. 5, 1917.

319. JANE⁵ CURD (Edward⁴, William³, John², Edward¹), b. August 17, 1800; d. November 17, 1869, at New Orleans, La., dau. of Edward Curd and Elizabeth Cherraun; m. May 12, 1836 at Woodland Plantation, Curdsville, Va., Dr. John McLean. Jane Curd was the youngest daughter of Edward Curd and Elizabeth Cherraun and she and her mother were with him when he died in White Sulphur Springs, W. Va. Jane Curd and Dr.

McLean were married in the old homestead at Curdsville and from here they moved to Cape Girardeau, Mo., to live. They traveled by carriage with their negroes in wagons and had quite an experience going through the free states with these negro slaves, but tradition says the slaves were devoted to Miss Jane and none left.

After their two children were born they moved to New Orleans, La. In New Orleans when secession was declared Jane Curd McLean hung the United States flag out in front of her home and had it draped in black crape, showing she was against secession. Nevertheless, she knitted socks for the Confederate Soldiers.

CHILDREN—MCLEAN

- i. Virginia Ann⁶, b. Aug. 2, 1841 at Big Bend, Cape Girardeau, Mo.; d. Oct. 1927 at New Orleans, La.; m. June 15, 1864, D. J. Sheehan; had one daughter, Eloise Jane Sheehan who m. May 10, 1904, Franklin Llewellyn Morgan; lives in California.
- +327. ii. Edward Curd⁶, b. Mar. 7, 1845; d. Aug. 13, 1926; m. July 2, 1873, Zerena Marrs.

SIXTH GENERATION

327. EDWARD⁶ CURD MCLEAN, son of Dr. John McLean and Jane Curd, was b. at Cape Girardeau, Mo., March 7, 1845; d. at Sherman, Texas, August 13, 1926; m. at Hickman, Ky., July 2, 1873, Zerena Marrs, dau. of James Francis Marrs and Ruth Wilson.

CHILDREN—MCLEAN

- i. Ruth Wilson McLean, b. Apr. 25, 1874; m. June 3, 1896, William Durr Gordon, an eminent lawyer of Beaumont, Tex.
- ii. Rozie Mary McLean, b. Feb. 10, 1877; d. Nov. 16, 1884.
- iii. Marrs McLean, b. June 20, 1883; m. Aug. 21, 1918, Verna Mae Hooks, dau. of J. L. Hooks. They have one daughter, Ruth McLean, b. Dec. 25, 1920. Ruth McLean has fallen heir to a jet breast-pin of Jane Curd's that was given her by her father Edward. This pin has Edward Curd engraved on the back and some of his hair in the center of the pin.

- iv. Edward C. McLean, Jr., b. Mar. 14, 1885; d. June 7, 1907.

322. ALBERT G.⁶ CURD (Thomas⁵, Edward⁴, William³, John², Edward¹), b. Buckingham Co., Va., January 7, 1810; d. at Warminster, Va., August 24, 1843, son of Thomas Curd; m. at Howardsville, Va., June 6, 1832, Sarah Frances Turner, who d. April 6, 1868. They had six sons each of whom volunteered for service in the Confederate Army.

CHILDREN—CURD

- +328. i. Francis Edward⁷, b. May 20, 1833; d. Nov. 2, 1895; m. Pauline E. Farrar. He was a member of Company D, 56th Regiment of Virginia Volunteers, C. S. A., was twice severely wounded in action.
329. ii. William Henry⁷, b. Apr. 27, 1835. He was a member of Company H, 49th Regiment of Virginia Volunteers, C. S. A.; d. Dec. 1, 1861, of fever contracted in the Army.
330. iii. Lafayette W.⁷, b. Feb. 22, 1837. He was a member of Company D, 19th Regiment Virginia Volunteers, C. S. A. and was killed in action, Mar. 23, 1865.
- +331. iv. Albert H.⁷, b. Feb. 20, 1839; d. Apr. 22, 1895; m. Sept. 7, 1869, Mary Martha Patterson. He was a member of Company D, 19th Regiment Virginia Volunteers, C. S. A. and was severely wounded in action.
332. v. James L.⁷, b. Mar. 6, 1841; d. Feb. 4, 1908; m. Emily Carter. No issue. He was a member of Company H, 49th Regiment Virginia Volunteers, C. S. A. and was fearfully wounded at the battle of Seven Pines.
- +333. vi. Joseph Howard⁷, b. Feb. 9, 1843; d. May 5, 1930; m. Nov. 28, 1867, Julia Elizabeth Dooley. He was a member of Company J, 5th Virginia Cavalry, C. S. A., wounded in action.

323. JOHN EDWARD⁶ CURD (Thomas⁵, Edward⁴, William³, John², Edward¹), b. January 18, 1814; d. May 5, 1894, son of Thomas Curd and his first wife, name unknown; m. at Fincastle, Botetourt Co., Va., August 3, 1837, Susan F. Luster, b. March 30, 1820; d. May 8, 1895.

CHILDREN—CURD

- 334. i. Luminer Jane⁷, b. Apr. 19, 1838; d. 1921; never married.
- 335. ii. Ellen Susan⁷, b. Nov. 9, 1839; m. Jan. 10, 1861, Rufus P. Kyle.
- 336. iii. John Thomas⁷, b. Oct. 2, 1841; d. Oct. 6, 1841.
- 337. iv. Anne Eliza⁷, b. Nov. 16, 1843; m. June 1, 1870, John R. Turner.
- 338. v. James Albert⁷, b. May 10, 1845; d. June 3, 1917; m. July 4, 1894, Henrietta Peck. No children.
- 339. vi. Mary Catherine⁷, b. Apr. 5, 1848; m. Sept. 9, 1886, as second wife, Martin J. Huff.
- 340. vii. Virginia Brescie⁷, b. Jan. 21, 1849 (?); m. Dec. 18, 1880, John H. White.
- +341. viii. William Henry⁷, b. Aug. 6, 1851; m. Mar. 9, 1874, Elizabeth White.
- 342. ix. Lucy Browning⁷, b. Mar. 3, 1853; m. Mar. 27, 1872, Chester (Charles ?) B. Turner.
- 343. x. Elizabeth Alice⁷, b. Dec. 5, 1855; m. June 13, 1876, James M. Slusser.
- 344. xi. Josephine L.⁷, b. July 6, 1857; m. June 25, 1891, Barney C. Merritt.
- 345. xii. Sarah Thomson⁷, b. June 2, 1859; m. Jan. 14, 1890, James T. Bilbro.
- 346. xiii. Lillian Alberta⁷, b. Sept. 8, 1861; m. Robert Mengel.
- 347. xiv. Charles Edward⁷, b. Mar. 6, 1865; d. Aug. 3, 1868.

The above birth dates were furnished by Mrs. Robert Mengel. The marriage dates are taken from the court records at Fin-castle, Va.

SEVENTH GENERATION

328. FRANCIS EDWARD⁷ CURD (Albert G.⁶, Thomas⁵, Edward⁴, William³, John², Edward¹), b. May 20, 1833; d. November 2, 1895, son of Albert G. Curd and Sarah Frances Turner; m. Pauline E. Farrar.

CHILDREN—CURD

- 348. i. Catherine⁸, b. 1858; d. 1863.
- 349. ii. Mansfield⁸, b. 1864; d. Anaconda, Mont.

350. iii. William Edward⁸, b. May 8, 1868; m. (1) Oct. 22, 1896, Nettie Walker, who d. without issue; m. (2) Viola Hudson.
351. iv. Sarah Frances⁸, b. Aug. 2, 1859; m. Jan. 29, 1878, Richard Wilbourne.

331. ALBERT HOSTELL⁷ CURD (Albert G.⁶, Thomas⁵, Edward⁴, William³, John², Edward¹), b. February 20, 1839; d. April 22, 1895, son of Albert G. Curd and Sarah Frances Turner; m. September 7, 1869, Mary Martha Patterson, who d. November 17, 1929.

CHILDREN—CURD

352. i. Margaret Frances⁸, b. July 11, 1870.
353. ii. Emmett Washington⁸, b. Feb. 14, 1873; d. Apr. 9, 1930. Never married.
354. iii. Nettie⁸, b. Aug. 15, 1875; m. Benjamin J. Garber.
355. iv. Elizabeth⁸, b. Nov. 21, 1877; m. June 15, 1902, Golden Rule.
356. v. Howard Patterson⁸, b. Aug. 2, 1880; m. Oct. 12, 1904, Mabel Wilbourne.
357. vi. Josephine⁸, b. Oct. 6, 1883; m. Aug. 22, 1917, H. Melvine McCune.
358. vii. Hattie⁸, b. June 19, 1889; m. July 8, 1913, Harry L. Myers.
359. viii. James Albert⁸, b. Jan. 11, 1893; m. Oct. 20, 1920, Ethel Brownlee.

333. JOSEPH HOWARD⁷ CURD (Albert G.⁶, Thomas⁵, Edward⁴, William³, John², Edward¹), b. at Warminster, Va., February 9, 1843; d. Charlottesville, Va., May 5, 1930; m. November 28, 1867, Julia Elizabeth Dooley who came from Liverpool, England.

CHILDREN—CURD

360. i. William Albert⁸, b. Jan. 5, 1869; m. Nov. 19, 1902, Louise Morton, Richmond, Va. One child d. in infancy. Graduate of University of Va., 1894, with B.S. degree in Civil Engineering. Professor of mathematics at Augusta Military Academy, Augusta Co., Va., and McCabe's University School, Richmond, Va. He was for many years connected with the American Bridge Company at Ambridge, Pa., and at the present time resides in Richmond and Afton, Va.

361. ii. Cornelia Howard⁸, of Charlottesville, Va., b. Sept. 23, 1870; m. May 1, 1890, James Leverett Staley. First two children d. in infancy; others are:
1. Elizabeth Francis, b. Oct. 26, 1895.
 2. William Andrew, b. July 11, 1897.
 3. Virginia, b. Jan. 28, 1899.
 4. Cornelia, b. Mar. 29, 1901.
 5. James Howard, b. Sept. 13, 1902.
 6. Pollard, b. Apr. 16, 1904.
 7. Wynona, b. July 7, 1905.
 8. Louis, b. Feb. 24, 1908.
 9. Henry, b. Dec. 25, 1909.
 10. Thomas Bascom, b. May 12, 1912.
362. iii. Rosa Bascom⁸, of Dallas, Tex., b. Nov. 21, 1877; m. Jan. 31, 1928, Edward Long. No children.
- +363. iv. Thomas Henry Shelton⁸, of Welch, W. Va., b. Dec. 19, 1882; m. Feb. 28, 1910, Grace Harmon.

EIGHTH GENERATION

363. THOMAS HENRY SHELTON⁸ CURD (Joseph Howard⁷, Albert G.⁶, Thomas⁵, Edward⁴, William³, John², Edward¹), b. December 19, 1882; m. February 28, 1910, Grace Harmon. Lives at Welch, W. Va. Co-author of this book. Graduated University of Virginia, 1906, B. A. and LL. B.; admitted Bars Virginia and West Virginia, 1906; member American and State Bar Associations; past President Welch Kiwanis Club, Welch Chamber of Commerce; Boy Scout Council for the Southern West Virginia area; past Vice-President West Virginia Bar Association; past Chairman Executive Committee West Virginia Bar Association; Chairman 4-Minute Men during World War; Chairman Citizens Military Training Camp; member State Commission on Historic and Scenic Markers; President Grace Hospital, Inc., a Corporation; Democratic Presidential Elector, 1924; Chairman Democratic Executive Committee, 1918-1924; Democratic candidate for Congress in Primary, 1926; Democratic candidate for State Senate in Primary, 1934; Delegate to the Democratic National Convention, 1932; is now Judge Eighth Judicial Circuit of West Virginia for the term 1937-1944; author of "Elimination of General Verdicts and Instructions to Juries," West Virginia Law Quarterly.

CHILDREN—CURD

364. i. Howard Harmon⁹, b. Nov. 24, 1911; graduate of University of Va., 1935; B.A. and M.D.; author of *Histologic Study of Meckel's Diverticulum*, Archives of Surgery, Mar. 1936; author of two articles published in *The Clinics* of Mason Clinic, Seattle, Wash., June 1936; member of the Lambda Phi, Phi Gamma Delta, Sigma Nu and Sigma Chi Fraternities; now doing post graduate work at Brady's Institute, John Hopkins Hospital, Baltimore, Md.
365. ii. John Chandler⁹, b. June 3, 1915; member of Chi Phi Fraternity; studying at University of Va. and applying for degrees of B.S. and L.L.B.
366. iii. Thomas Henry Shelton, Jr.⁹, b. Feb. 5, 1926.

Group Four — Third Generation

DESCENDANTS OF JOSEPH³ CURD

11. JOSEPH³ CURD (John², Edward¹), son of John Curd and Elizabeth Price; m. (1) September 28, 1762, Mary Warren; m. (2) October 6, 1772, Mary Truehart, dau. of Aaron Bartholomew Truehart or of Daniel Truehart his son, probably the latter, both of whom came to Virginia from England about 1740. He removed to Buckingham Co., Va. settling in the southern part of the County near the present site of the village of Curdsville. In 1782 he owned 408 acres of land which he later increased by purchase to 1200 acres. He was first lieutenant sixth Virginia Regiment Continental line Revolutionary Army (*Heitman*, p. 181) and like his brother John, received large grants of land in Kentucky for services rendered the state of Virginia. Some of this land he transferred to his children all of whom, with the exception of his son John, eventually settled in Kentucky. The Buckingham Co. tax records on file at Richmond, Va. indicate that he died about 1812, taxes formerly assessed against him were assessed to his widow, Mary, in 1812. She probably later removed to Kentucky to live with her children.

CHILDREN BY FIRST WIFE

- 367. i. Elizabeth⁴, b. July 24, 1763 (*Douglas Register*); m. William Johns.
- +368. ii. Daniel⁴, b. 1768; m. (1) Feb. 8, 1793, Nancy Bowles, b. May 7, 1770, d. 1794; m. (2) July 30, 1795, Jane ("Jenny") Curd, b. 1773, d. 1814. He settled in Kentucky.
- 369. iii. Mary Ann⁴, b. 1770; m. Oct. 18, 1809, Michael Neyfong (Niphong); d. 1854.
- 370. iv. Martha⁴, b. Sept. 5, 1771 (*Douglas Register*); prob. d. young.

CHILDREN BY SECOND WIFE

- 371. v. Ann Truehart⁴, b. 1773; listed as child by Alexander Curd in his Mss. No further record.
- +372. vi. John⁴, b. Mar. 21, 1774; d. in Tennessee, Sept. 4, 1822; m. Elizabeth Lumpkin.

- +373. vii. Joseph, Jr.⁴, b. June 13, 1775; d. in Kentucky, 1860; m. (1) Sarah Coghill; m. (2) Mildred Slaughter, dau. of Col. Robert Slaughter.
- 374. viii. Martha⁴, b. 1776; m. a Small.
- +375. ix. Benjamin⁴, b. Dec. 24, 1778; m. Susan Belcher.
- 376. x. Pleasant⁴, b. 1781; d. Mercer Co., Ky., fall of 1817, unmarried. Will dated Sept. 15, 1817, proved Dec. 1817, Book VI, p. 66, Mercer Co. Wills.
- +377. xi. Aaron Bartholomew⁴, b. 1784; d. Jan. 19, 1855, age 70 years, 11 months, 5 days; m. Nancy Wooldridge.
- +378. xii. Stephen⁴, b. 1786; d. 1876; m. Sarah Porter Curd, dau. of Newton Curd.
- 379. xiii. Susan⁴ (or Susanna), b. 1788; m. Robert Higgins. Settled in Christian Co., Ky.
- 380. xiv. Nancy⁴, b. 1790; m. Philip Johnson.
- 381. xv. Sarah P.⁴, b. Mar. 6, 1792; d. Feb. 28, 1875; m. R. P. Steenbergen, b. June 26, 1802; d. July 6, 1873.
- +382. xvi. James⁴, b. Apr. 15, 1795; m. Delilah Ward.

Verification of Joseph's children from following sources: 1 and 4, *Douglas Register*, 2, 3, 5 and 7 to 16, from MS. records of Alexander Curd. No. 6 from Tennessee family records. Nos. 2, 6, 7, 9 and 11 are further verified by Buckingham Co., Va., tax records on file at Richmond, Va. All other Buckingham court records were long since destroyed by fire. The will of Pleasant Curd, who died in Mercer Co., Ky., in 1817 names his mother, calling her Sarah instead of Mary, and the following brothers and sisters all supposed to be living in Kentucky at that time: Michael Neyfong, Philip Johnson (brothers-in-law) "my six brothers Daniel, Joseph, Benjamin, Aaron, Stephen and James," "my four sisters Elizabeth Johns, Martha Curd, Susanna Higgins and Sarah Curd."

FOURTH GENERATION

368. DANIEL⁴ CURD (Joseph³, John², Edward¹), b. 1768, son of Joseph Curd and Mary Warren; m. (1) in Fluvanna Co., Va., February 8, 1793, Nancy Bowles, b. May 7, 1770, d. 1794, dau. of Knight Bowles and Sarah Curd; m. (2) Mercer Co., Ky., July 30, 1795, Jane ("Jenny") Curd, b. 1773, d. 1814. He died

abt. 1836. Inventory Book E, page 223, Jessamine Co., Ky., October, 1836.

CHILD BY FIRST WIFE

- +383. i. Knight B.⁵, b. 1794; m. in Warren Co., Ky., Jan. 7, 1819, Mary Briggs.

CHILDREN BY SECOND WIFE

- +384. ii. Joseph⁵, b. 1796; m. 1820, Frances Slaughter, dau. of Col. Robert Slaughter.
385. iii. Mary⁵, b. 1798; m. in Ohio Co., Ky., Aug. 12, 1824, Jesse Moseley.
386. iv. Permelia⁵, b. 1800.
- +387. v. Edmund⁵, b. Jessamine Co., Ky., 1802; d. Charleston, Ill., 1881; m. 1824, Eliza Weston Thomas, b. Mercer Co., Ky., 1806; d. Charleston, Ill., 1862.
- +388. vi. Richard⁵, b. 1804; m. Judida Curd, b. 1817; d. 1907, dau. of Aaron Curd and Nancy Woolbridge.
389. vii. Barthena Thomas⁵, b. 1805; m. in Jessamine Co., Ky., Mar. 24, 1824, Robert Lightfoot.
- +390. viii. Daniel⁵, b. Jan. 30, 1808; m. in Ohio Co., Ky., Nov. 11, 1830, Evalina Upton.
391. ix. Seth⁵, b. 1810.
- Edmund, Mary, Richard, Barthena and Daniel Curd removed to Ohio Co., Ky. prior to 1830; then about 1837, Edmund, Barthena and Daniel removed to Cole Co., Ill.

372. JOHN⁴ CURD (Joseph³, John², Edward¹), b. in Virginia, March 21, 1774; d. Wilson Co., Tenn., September 4, 1822, son of Joseph Curd and Mary Truehart; m. in Buckingham or Prince William Co., Va., Elizabeth Lumpkin, b. May 12, 1775; d. March 5, 1840, dau. of Moore Lumpkin and his wife Ann Woodson, dau. of John Woodson. She was a descendant of Capt. Jacob Lumpkin, who came from England to Virginia prior to 1677. John Curd came to Tennessee in the late fall of 1817 or the early spring of 1818, with his family consisting of wife and eleven children. On March 27, 1818, he purchased of Daniel Small a tract of 334 acres in the first district of Wilson Co., same being a tract of land granted by the State of North Carolina to John Donelson (father-in-law of General Andrew Jackson) by grant

No. 2167 dated May 20, 1793. He and his wife are buried in the family burial ground on his former estate, near Mt. Juliet, which is still owned by one of his descendants. The birth and death dates of John and his wife are taken from two large table tombstones which cover their graves.

CHILDREN—CURD

- 392. i. Mary⁵ ("Polly"), b. abt. 1801; m. Ozburn Thompson.
- +393. ii. Sarah⁵ ("Sallie"), b. Nov. 10, 1802; d. Aug. 11, 1887; m. Isham F. Davis.
- +394. iii. Martha⁵ ("Patsy"), b. Nov. 22, 1803; d. Nov. 22, 1886; m. Col. Jonas Swingley.
- +395. iv. Nancy⁵, b. Dec. 10, 1804; d. Jan. 25, 1872; m. Mar. 4, 1823, William Lanius.
- +396. v. William M.⁵, b. Nov. 26, 1805; d. Aug. 17, 1842; m. Susan Davis, b. Sept. 29, 1813; d. June 11, 1871.
- 397. vi. John⁵, b. Apr. 3, 1807; d. Sept. 29, 1837, unmarried.
- +398. vii. Price⁵, b. May 6, 1808; d. Aug. 19, 1883; m. (1) Martha Cherry; m. (2) Elizabeth A. Hall; m. (3) Mrs. Minerva Bonner, a widow.
- +399. viii. James⁵, b. Sept. 25, 1809; d. Jan. 13, 1876; m. Nov. 18, 1833, Susan Everett, b. July 4, 1810; d. Sept. 22, 1896, dau. of John Everett.
- +400. ix. Elizabeth⁵, b. Nov. 13, 1887; m. Dec. 18, 1828, John G. Gleaves; lived in Davidson Co., Tenn.
- +401. x. Richard D.⁵, m. Dec. 12, 1833, Emily E. Hall, dau. of John Hall.
- 402. xi. Thomas⁵, living, 1823, but d. before 1841.

373. JOSEPH⁴ CURD (Joseph³, John², Edward¹), b. June 13, 1775; d. 1860, son of Joseph Curd and Mary Truehart; m. (1) September 26, 1805, Sarah Coghill, dau. of John Coghill; m. (2) Mildred Slaughter, b. 1794, d. April 4, 1852, dau. of Col. Robert and Lucy Slaughter. Lucy Slaughter was a sister of Gabriel S. Slaughter, Governor of Kentucky.

CHILDREN BY FIRST WIFE

- +403. i. John⁵, b. 1807; d. 1890; m. Mary H. Munday.
- +404. ii. James⁵, m. Susan Wood, dau. of John Wood.

CHILDREN BY SECOND WIFE

- +405. iii. Robert Slaughter⁵, b. 1820; d. Aug. 14, 1864 in the Confederate Army; m. Rebecca McCoun, b. 1822; d. 1901, dau. of Leonard T. McCoun and Sophia Weston Curd.
- +406. iv. Joseph Truehart⁵, b. 1825; m. Susan M. Munday.
- 407. v. Mary Ellen⁵, b. Nov. 25, 1828; d. Oct. 19, 1919; m. Robert S. Curd, son of Joseph Curd and Frances Slaughter.
- +408. vi. Gabriel S.⁵, b. 1830; m. Elizabeth Coghill.
- +409. vii. Thomas Moore⁵, b. Sept. 13, 1835; d. Jan. 24, 1904; m. Emily Hamilton, b. Aug. 4, 1838; d. Sept. 14, 1894.

375. BENJAMIN⁴ CURD (Joseph³, John², Edward¹), b. December 24, 1778, son of Joseph Curd and Mary Truehart; m. Susan Belcher.

CHILDREN—CURD

- 410. i. Mary Truehart⁵, b. Dec. 5, 1801; d. 1877; m. July 1819, Stephen Jenkins.
- +411. ii. George R.⁵, b. 1804; m. Lucy Brent Curd, b. 1817, dau. of Stephen Curd and Sarah Porter Curd.
- 412. iii. Lucy R.⁵, b. 1811; m. Isaac Wood.
- 413. iv. Eliza⁵.

377. AARON BARTHOLOMEW⁴ CURD (Joseph³, John², Edward¹), b. 1784, son of Joseph Curd and Mary Truehart; m. Nancy Wooldridge.

CHILDREN—CURD

- 414. i. Pleasant A.⁵, b. 1815; prob. the Pleasant A. Curd who settled in Christian Co., Ky.
- 415. ii. Judida⁵, b. 1817; d. 1907; m. Richard Curd, b. 1804, son of Daniel Curd and his second wife, Jane Curd.
- 416. iii. Elizabeth⁵, m. John Wigham.
- 417. iv. Sarah⁵, b. 1822; d. 1914; m. Fred Bradshaw.
- 418. v. Thomas Jefferson⁵, b. 1824; never married.
- +419. vi. Charles Crittenden⁵, b. Jan. 16, 1827; d. Neosho Falls, Kans., Oct. 19, 1903; m. Nov. 7, 1860, Margaret Hollie Stephenson, b. Oct. 15, 1841; d. Jan. 17, 1911.

- +420. vii. Daniel B.⁵, b. 1831; d. at Nicholasville, Ky., May 31, 1910; m. (1) Feb. 23, 1854, Margaret Davenport, who d. 1865; m. (2) Jan. 11, 1866, Hattie Smith Watson, who d. Mar. 12, 1924.
- 421. viii. Virginia B.⁵, b. 1833; d. 1916; m. Sept. 26, 1854, W. T. Wooldridge.
- 422. ix. Samuel⁵, b. 1835; m. Margaret Mize.
- 423. x. John Hooper⁵, b. 1837; m. Mar. 19, 1868, Mary Bradshaw. Lived in Washington Co., Ky.
- 424. xi. Mary Ann⁵, b. Aug. 17, 1840; d. Dec. 26, 1906; m. Steve Wooldridge.

378. STEPHEN⁴ CURD (Joseph³, John², Edward¹), b. 1876, son of Joseph Curd and Mary Truehart; m. Sarah Porter Curd, b. 1792; d. 1877, dau. of Newton Curd.

CHILDREN—CURD

- 425. i. Lewis Price⁵, b. July 14, 1814; d. Mar. 27, 1895; never married.
- 426. ii. Lucy Brent⁵, b. Feb. 18, 1817; d. Aug. 15, 1898; m. George R. Curd, son of Benjamin Curd and Susan Belcher.
- 427. iii. Pleasant⁵, b. 1819; never married.
- 428. iv. Mary Ann⁵, b. 1821; m. Richard Burks.
- 429. v. Orpha Perkins⁵, b. 1823; m. John Burks.
- +430. vi. Newton⁵, b. 1829; d. 1917; m. Jan. 2, 1866, Mary A. Davis.

382. JAMES⁴ CURD (Joseph³, John², Edward¹), b. April 15, 1795, son of Joseph Curd and Mary Truehart; m. Delilah Ward.

CHILDREN—CURD

- 431. i. Alexander Jackson⁵, b. 1833; d. 1887; m. Josephine Adams.
- 432. ii. Mary Ann⁵, b. 1835; m. (1) a Noe; m. (2) Add Williams.

FIFTH GENERATION

383. KNIGHT BOWLES⁵ CURD (Daniel⁴, Joseph³, John², Edward¹), b. February 7, 1794; d. before 1855, son of Daniel Curd and Nancy Bowles; m. in Warren Ky., January 7, 1819, Mary Briggs.

CHILDREN—CURD

- +433. i. Dr. John Richard⁶, b. Aug. 4, 1821; d. Dec. 8, 1889; m. (1) Aug. 17, 1848, Sarilda J. Simpson; m. (2) Nov. 30, 1864, Fannie E. Lewis, who d. Nov. 8, 1898, aged 68 years, 1 month, 17 days.
- 434. ii. Elizabeth Thompson⁶, b. Feb. 12, 1926; m. Dec. 5, 1850, William Thompson Finch.
- 435. iii. Nannie Daniel⁶, b. Feb. 16, 1926; m. Jan. 2, 1851, Presley Meguiar.
- 436. iv. Mary Briggs⁶, b. 1828; d. 1840.
- +437. v. Dr. James Knight⁶, b. Feb. 1, 1830; d. Oct. 29, 1893; m. Mary Catherine Courts, b. Feb. 17, 1838; d. Dec. 7, 1914, dau. of Richard Courts. May 14, 1855, J. R. Curd, J. Knight Curd, Elizabeth T. Finch and Nancy J. Maguire receipt Joseph Curd of Jessamine Co., Ky., for their interest as heirs of Daniel Curd.

384. JOSEPH⁵ CURD (Daniel⁴, Joseph³, John², Edward¹), b. 1796; m. 1820, Frances Slaughter, dau. of Col. Robert Slaughter and Lucy Slaughter. The latter was sister of Gabriel S. Slaughter, Governor of Kentucky.

CHILDREN—CURD

- +438. i. Robert S.⁶, b. July 15, 1821; d. Dec. 20, 1883; m. Oct. 14, 1849, Mary Ellen Curd, b. 1828; d. Oct. 19, 1919, dau. of Joseph Curd and Mildred Slaughter.
- 439. ii. Lucy Jane⁶, b. 1822; d. 1841.
- +440. iii. Seth⁶ (Daniel Seth), b. 1825; d. 1898; m. (1) Catherine Perry; m. (2) Susan Cook Curd.
- 441. iv. Parmelia⁶, b. 1826.
- 442. v. Anne Eliza⁶, b. 1828; m. Sept. 4, 1849, James Dorman.
- 443. vi. Joseph Edmund⁶, b. 1829; d. 1833.
- 444. vii. Mary Frances⁶, b. Mar. 22, 1831; d. Mar. 13, 1861; m. Lewis B. Grigsby.
- 445. viii. Susannah H. M.⁶, b. Nov. 11, 1836; d. May 23, 1865; m. Reuben J. Curd, b. Mar. 12, 1837; d. July 3, 1879.

387. EDMUND⁵ CURD (Daniel⁴, Joseph³, John², Edward¹), b. Jessamine Co., Ky., 1802; d. Charleston, Ill., 1881, son of Daniel

and Jane Curd; m. 1824, Eliza Weston Thomas, b. Mercer Co., Ky., 1806; d. Charleston, Ill., 1862.

CHILDREN—CURD

- 446. i. Parmelia⁶, b. 1825; d. Mattoon, Ill., 1903; m. 1842, Lewis Rogers Hutchinson, b. 1816; d. 1876.
- +447. ii. Owen Thomas⁶, b. 1829; d. Charleston, Ill., 1901; m. 1850, Sarah Elizabeth Wiley.
- 448. iii. Seth⁶, b. 1830; d. 1839.
- 449. iv. Lucy Jane⁶, b. 1832; d. 1843.
- +450. v. Daniel A.⁶, b. 1834; d. 1882; m. Nov. 29, 1855, Amanda Perkins.
- +451. vi. Joseph Edmund⁶, b. 1837; d. 1909; m. Nov. 30, 1860, Ann Eliza Landers.
- 452. vii. Richard Seth⁶, b. 1841; d. 1910; m. Jan. 23, 1883, Martha Jane Mullins.
- 453. viii. Virgil Knight⁶, b. 1844; d. 1905; m. 1876, Emma Boutwell.

388. RICHARD⁵ CURD (Daniel⁴, Joseph³, John², Edward¹), b. 1804, son of Daniel and Jane Curd; m. 1832, Judida Curd, b. 1817; d. 1907, dau. of Aaron Bartholomew Curd and Nancy Wooldridge.

CHILDREN—CURD

- 454. i. Daniel Aaron⁶, b. 1836; d. 1897; m. 1861, Martha J. Evans, b. Feb. 18, 1838; d. June 15, 1923.
- 455. ii. Mary J.⁶, b. 1838.
- 456. iii. Joseph Edmund⁶, b. 1841; m. May 1, 1867, Frances M. Steenbergen.
- 457. iv. Lewis Pleasant⁶, b. 1844; m. Cynthia Riley.

390. DANIEL⁵ CURD (Daniel⁴, Joseph³, John², Edward¹), b. Jessamine Co., Ky., January 30, 1808; d. Newman, Ill., January 30, 1876, son of Daniel and Jane Curd; m. at Hartford, Ky., November 11, 1830, Evalina Upton, b. October 10, 1801; d. August 5, 1891. He removed to Ohio Co., Ky., prior to 1831, then about 1837 to Cole Co., Ill.

CHILDREN—CURD

- 458. i. Mary Ann⁶, b. Ohio Co., Ky., May 24, 1832; d. Charleston, Ill., July 18, 1885; m. Mar. 11, 1852, James A. Chambers, b. May 6, 1831; d. July 18, 1885.

- 459. ii. Barthena Francis⁶, a twin, b. Ohio Co., Ky., Oct. 14, 1834; d. Dec. 31, 1891; m. 1852, Alexander Perkins. She had a twin sister who lived only six weeks.
- 460. iii. Eliza Richard⁶, b. Oct. 6, 1836; d. Apr. 1857; m. 1856, John Wilson.
- 461. iv. Thomas Daniel⁶, b. Charleston, Ill., Mar. 20, 1839; d. Oct. 5, 1886; m. (1) 1868, Malissa Adkins, who d. Oct. 1876; m. (2) Dec. 1880, Tabitha Kinsel, who d. Mar. 27, 1884; m. (3) 1885, Jennie Earle.
- 462. v. Permelia Harriet⁶, b. June 25, 1843; d. Seneca, Mo., May 5, 1912; m. at Kansas, Ill., Feb. 16, 1865, Thomas J. Lemon, b. Sept. 22, 1842.
- 463. vi. Nancy Wayman⁶, b. Charleston, Ill., Dec. 15, 1844; d. Dec. 28, 1913; m. Apr. 5, 1881, James Barr.

393. SARAH⁵ CURD (John⁴, Joseph³, John², Edward¹), b. November 10, 1802; d. August 11, 1887, dau. of John⁴ Curd and Elizabeth Lumpkin; m. July 2, 1821, Isham F. Davis, b. January 19, 1800; d. January 20, 1880, an early settler in Wilson Co., Tenn.

CHILDREN—DAVIS

- i. Nathaniel⁶, m. (1) a Majors; m. (2) Sarah Gleaves.
- ii. William P.⁶, b. Aug. 19, 1833; d. Mar. 20, 1902; m. Oct. 25, 1855, Elizabeth Lindsey, b. 1834, dau. of Lewis Lindsey and his first wife, Jane R. McFarland. Lewis Lindsey m. (2) Elizabeth Everett. William Davis was a soldier in the Confederate Army.
- iii. Elizabeth⁶, m. Asa Jackson.
- iv. Martha⁶, m. Edward Jackson.
- v. Richard T.⁶, b. 1843; d. 1920; m. (1) Alice Reynolds; m. (2) Rachel Winter, b. 1854, dau. of Dr. A. J. Winter, b. Feb. 21, 1819, d. Dec. 28, 1890.

394. MARTHA⁵ (Patsy) CURD (John⁴, Joseph³, John², Edward¹), b. November 22, 1803; d. November 22, 1886, dau. of John⁴ Curd and Elizabeth Lumpkin; m. Col. Jonas Swingley, b. October 30, 1800; d. September 25, 1854.

CHILDREN—SWINGLEY

(List not complete)

- i. John G.⁶, b. Sept. 14, 1822; d. Aug. 20, 1909; m. Jan. 15, 1846, Sarah McFarland, b. Aug. 31, 1822; d. July 23, 1868, dau. of James McFarland.
- ii. Catherine E.⁶ (Kate), b. Oct. 16, 1824; d. Oct. 14, 1875; m. Dr. T. B. Stroud, b. Apr. 22, 1823; d. Jan. 10, 1899.
- iii. Mary Watkins⁶, b. Aug. 29, 1833; d. Jan. 20, 1861; m. Archibald Craver.
- iv. Susan⁶, b. Feb. 7, 1836; d. Nov. 6, 1897; m. William H. Jackson, b. Sept. 1830; d. Dec. 26, 1891.

395. NANCY⁵ CURD (John⁴, Joseph³, John², Edward¹), b. December 10, 1804; d. January 25, 1872, dau. of John Curd and Elizabeth Lumpkin; m. March 4, 1823, William Lanius, b. Fincastle, Botetourt Co., Va., January 22, 1802; d. Wilson Co., Tenn., February 26, 1874. He removed from Virginia to Missouri in 1820, then in 1823 to Wilson Co., Tenn.

CHILDREN—LANIUS

- i. Philip H.⁶, m. Mary Wallace.
- ii. James C.⁶, b. July 8, 1827; m. Mary Jane Watkins, dau. of William Watkins and his wife, Sallie Eatherly, b. Nov. 28, 1812; d. Apr. 30, 1864; Mary Jane Watkins m. (2) Joe Bernard.
- iii. William B.⁶, b. July 21, 1830; d. Apr. 1846.
- iv. George W.⁶, b. Sept. 12, 1831; d. Dec. 7, 1861, in Confederate Army.
- v. Richard P.⁶, a Confederate soldier, member Huggins Company, Tenn. Light Artillery; m. Belle Van Hooser, dau. of Lambeth and Mary A. Van Hooser.
- vi. Catherine E.⁶, b. Sept. 4, 1834; m. Frank Wallace.
- vii. Lavina⁶, m. John Jackson.

396. WILLIAM M.⁵ CURD (John⁴, Joseph³, John², Edward¹), b. November 26, 1805; d. Wilson Co., Tenn., August 17, 1842, son of John Curd and Elizabeth Lumpkin; m. Susan Davis, b. September 29, 1813; d. June 11, 1871. She was half sister of Isham F. Davis who m. Sarah Curd. William purchased his father's home place.

CHILDREN—CURD

- +464. i. Dr. John N.⁶, b. Mar. 29, 1834; d. Jan. 3, 1915; m. (1) Ella Winter, b. Jan. 28, 1849, d. Jan. 31, 1887; m. (2) Mary Cook, dau. of Dr. Nicholas Cook.
- 465. ii. Capt. William E.⁶, b. Jan. 12, 1836; d. July 18, 1862. He was a Confederate soldier and d. in service.
- 466. iii. Elizabeth Ann⁶, b. Jan. 25, 1838; d. Nov. 23, 1919; m. Nov. 18, 1857, William C. Dodson.
- 467. iv. Nannie⁶, b. Dec. 21, 1840; d. Nov. 29, 1906; m. T. Harvey Freeman, b. Feb. 24, 1835; d. June 23, 1915.

398. PRICE⁵ CURD (John⁴, Joseph³, John², Edward¹), b. May 6, 1808; d. Wilson Co., Tenn., August 19, 1883, son of John Curd and Elizabeth Lumpkin; m. (1) March 27, 1831, Martha Cherry, b. December 6, 1811, d. May 6, 1832; m. (2) November 21, 1837, Elizabeth A. Hall, b. July 2, 1818, d. April 29, 1857, dau. of John Hall and Temperance Perry; m. (3) July 2, 1858, Mrs. Minerva Bonner, a widow, who d. July 6, 1870.

CHILD BY FIRST WIFE

- 468. i. Catherine E.⁶, d. May 4, 1832.

CHILDREN BY SECOND WIFE

- 469. ii. Mary⁶, buried Aug. 9, 1886; m. George Cowan, b. abt. 1827; buried Feb. 28, 1886, aged 59 years. They had two children:
 - 1. Etta, b. 1856; d. 1919; m. Robt. H. Wilhoyte of Owensboro, Ky., and Sheffield, Ala.; had two children.
 - 2. Elizabeth (Betty), buried Jan. 14, 1929; m. Samuel J. Latta of Memphis, Tenn.; had one son.
- +470. iii. Martha⁶, b. Nov. 15, 1840; d. Dec. 12, 1913; m. Mar. 29, 1865, Joseph W. Dodson, b. Oct. 15, 1820; d. Dec. 27, 1897.
- 471. iv. John T.⁶, b. Nov. 27, 1842; d. Jan. 1, 1863. He was a Confederate soldier and d. in service.
- +472. v. Edward⁶, b. Dec. 30, 1845; d. Apr. 21, 1916; m. Oct. 24, 1867, Josephine Owen, b. Feb. 19, 1846; d. Feb. 5, 1919.

- +473. vi. Emily⁶, b. July 11, 1849; d. June 1, 1929; m. James J. Eatherly, b. May 20, 1830; d. Apr. 4, 1912.
- +474. vii. Pleasant⁶, b. Mar. 2, 1850; d. Feb. 19, 1927; m. Mollie Gaines, b. Apr. 23, 1858; d. Feb. 9, 1933.

399. JAMES A.⁵ CURD (John⁴, Joseph³, John², Edward¹), b. September 25, 1809; d. Wilson Co., Tenn., January 13, 1876; m. November 18, 1833, Susan Everett, b. July 4, 1810; d. September 22, 1896, dau. of John Everett.

CHILDREN—CURD

- 475. i. John⁶, d. Aug. 24, 1907, unmarried.
 - 476. ii. Eliza Everett⁶, b. Dec. 25, 1845; d. Jan. 24, 1928; m. Mar. 13, 1866, William Baird. Their children:
 - 1. Lelia⁷, m. Apr. 17, 1888, Robt. Lee Eatherly.
 - 2. Effie⁷, m. May 17, 1896, Val. Castleman.
 - 477. iii. Emma Lenora⁶, b. Apr. 1, 1850; d. Mar. 28, 1928; m. James Moore. Their children:
 - 1. Elizabeth P.⁷, b. June 29, 1876; d. Aug. 13, 1876.
 - 2. W. Alfred⁷, b. Oct. 28, 1880; d. July 15, 1922; m. Katie Gibson.
- James had three other children who d. in infancy.

400. ELIZABETH⁵ (Betty) CURD (John⁴, Joseph³, John², Edward¹), d. Davidson Co., Tenn., November 13, 1887; m. December 18, 1828, John G. Gleaves of Wilson Co., Tenn., later of Davidson Co.

CHILDREN—GLEAVES

(Not in proper order)

- i. Thomas⁶, b. Apr. 25, 1831; d. Sept. 29, 1910; m. Mary Joice Rucker.
- ii. Richard⁶, b. Aug. 24, 1832; d. July 1861, unmarried.
- iii. John Bell⁶, b. July 28, 1839; d. Jan. 22, 1909; m. Annie Ridley, b. Dec. 10, 1843; d. July 7, 1876, dau. of Mack Ridley.
- iv. Sarah⁶ (Puss), m. William Thaxton.
- v. Mollie⁶, m. James Wilson.

401. RICHARD D.⁵ CURD (John⁴, Joseph³, John², Edward¹), son of John Curd and Elizabeth Lumpkin; m. December 12,

1833, Emily E. Hall, b. August 20, 1816; d. November 1880, dau. of John Hall and Temperance Perry removed from Wilson Co. to Henry Co., Tenn., Emily, his widow, m. (2) Ezekiel R. Atchison.

CHILDREN—CURD

- 478. i. John Hall⁶, Confederate soldier; killed at battle of Murfreesboro.
- 479. ii. B. G.⁶ ("Gan"), Confederate soldier; came back from the war, left shortly after and never heard from again.
- 480. iii. Richard Donelson⁶, b. 1844; m. Ellen ("Nellie") Townley, b. 1848, dau. of James B. Townley and Sarah Frances ("Fannie") Smith; lived for several years at Paris, Tenn.; later removed to Ringgold, Ga. Richard served in Cheatham's Brigade, C. S. A.
- 481. iv. Josie⁶, m. (1) Capt. Pleasant Hope, a Confederate soldier; killed in battle; m. (2) James Totty of Camden, Tenn.

403. JOHN⁵ CURD (Joseph⁴, Joseph³, John², Edward¹), b. 1807; d. 1890, son of Joseph Curd and Sarah Coghill; m. Mary H. Munday.

CHILDREN—CURD

- 482. i. Susan E.⁶, b. 1835; m. Nov. 9, 1853, Preston Cox.
- +483. ii. Reuben J.⁶, b. Mar. 12, 1837; d. July 3, 1879; m. (1) May 23, 1855, Susannah H. M. Curd; m. (2) Susan Bell Cook.
- +484. iii. Joseph T.⁶, b. Mar. 15, 1839; m. Malinda Poore, b. May 3, 1841; d. Dec. 26, 1911.
- 485. iv. Lucy E.⁶, b. 1840.
- 486. v. Rebecca Coleman⁶, b. 1845.
- +487. vi. J. V. Munday⁶, b. 1847; d. 1902; m. May 2, 1882, Thompson Ann England, b. Dec. 7, 1850; d. May 6, 1916.
- +488. vii. Edmund Robert⁶, b. 1849; d. 1894; m. Sudie Dorman, b. Feb. 25, 1854.
- 489. viii. Lucretia Truehart⁶, b. 1850; d. 1912.
- 490. ix. Mary Eliza⁶, b. 1853; d. Apr. 1857.

404. JAMES⁵ CURD (Joseph⁴, Joseph³, John², Edward¹), son of Joseph Curd and Sarah Coghill; m. Susan Wood.

CHILDREN—CURD

- 491. i. John J.⁶, m. July 1, 1865, Eliza Waller.
- +492. ii. James Madison⁶, b. 1858; d. June 13, 1923; m. Sept. 3, 1873, Ada L. Burgin.
- 493. iii. William Thomas⁶, b. 1840.
- 494. iv. Joseph Wood⁶, b. 1842; m. Lula F. Brown.
- 495. v. Jane Allin⁶, b. 1845; m. John Q. Marimon.

405. ROBERT SLAUGHTER⁵ CURD (Joseph⁴, Joseph³, John², Edward¹), b. 1820; d. August 14, 1864, in the Confederate Service. Son of Joseph Curd and Mildred Slaughter; m. Rebecca Ann McCoun; b. April 25, 1822; d. March 25, 1901, dau. of Leonard Turley McCoun and Sophia Weston Curd, dau. of Newton Curd.

CHILDREN—CURD

- +496. i. Leonard Turley⁶, b. May 23, 1841; d. Oct. 6, 1923; m. 1865, Mary Kurtz.
- 497. ii. James Coleman⁶, b. 1843; d. 1844.
- +498. iii. Alexander⁶, b. Apr. 4, 1845; d. Mar. 30, 1924; m. Jan. 8, 1866, Laura Phidelia Wells, b. Mar. 2, 1845; d. Feb. 6, 1917.
- 499. iv. Zachary Taylor⁶, b. 1847; d. Oct. 8, 1913.
- 500. v. Elizabeth⁶, b. 1849; m. M. E. Dickerson.
- 501. vi. Sophia Mildred⁶, b. 1851; d. 1854.
- +502. vii. Robert McDowell⁶, b. 1853; d. July 3 or 8, 1893; m. Nov. 18, 1873, Ophelia Steenbergen.
- 503. viii. James⁶, b. 1855; d. 1856.
- 504. ix. Infant son, b. and d. 1856.
- +505. x. David Thompson⁶, b. Aug. 13, 1858; d. Nov. 13, 1894; m. Nov. 20, 1878, Annie P. Elkin.

406. JOSEPH TRUEHART⁵ CURD (Joseph⁴, Joseph³, John², Edward¹), b. 1825, son of Joseph Curd and Mildred Slaughter; m. Sue M. Munday, b. 1835?

CHILDREN—CURD

- 506. i. Joseph V.⁶, b. 1852.
- 507. ii. Lucretia⁶, b. 1854.
- 508. iii. Mary Rebecca⁶, b. 1856.
- 509. iv. Thomas Hawkins⁶, b. 1859.
- 510. v. Sallie H.⁶, b. 1862.

- 511. vi. Mattie Dean⁶, b. 1866; m. (1) a Fay; m. (2) a McFadden.
- 512. vii. William M.⁶, b. 1871.
- 513. viii. Cora Ella⁶, b. 1876; m. a Breeder.

408. GABRIEL S.⁵ CURD (Joseph⁴, Joseph³, John², Edward¹), b. 1830, son of Joseph Curd and Mildred Slaughter; m. Elizabeth Coghill.

CHILDREN—CURD

- +514. i. Henry Clay⁶, b. 1853; m. Mary Etta Walters.
- +515. ii. John Coleman⁶, b. 1854; m. Dec. 12, 1878, Mattie Burchell.
- +516. iii. Gabriel Rowland⁶, b. Nov. 9, 1859; m. Nov. 12, 1884, Maggie G. Burchell.
- 517. iv. Reuben Graham⁶, b. 1862.

409. THOMAS MOORE⁵ CURD (Joseph⁴, Joseph³, John², Edward¹), b. September 13, 1835; d. January 24, 1904, son of Joseph Curd and Mildred Slaughter; m. Emily J. Hamilton.

CHILDREN—CURD

- 518. i. Henry Peyton⁶, b. 1855; d. Aug. 22, 1922; m. Apr. 8, 1885, Mary E. Coghill.
- 519. ii. Sally Ann⁶, b. Mar. 21, 1858.
- 520. iii. Johannah ("Annie")⁶, b. 1860; d. Jan. 29, 1924.
- 521. iv. Mattie Lou ("Lute")⁶, b. 1862; m. William Wagner.
- 522. v. Thomas I.⁶, b. 1864; d. Jan. 7, 1927; m. Sallie Evans.
- 523. vi. Kate⁶, b. 1866; d. Nov. 19, 1925; m. Lee Pettit.
- 524. vii. William C.⁶, b. 1868.
- 525. viii. J. Isham⁶, b. 1870; d. June 19, 1917; m. Margaret Spoonamore.
- 526. ix. Benjamin Frank⁶, b. Jan. 3, 1873; d. Mar. 16, 1886.
- 527. x. Jennie May⁶, b. 1876.
- 528. xi. Clarence R.⁶, b. 1880.
- 529. xii. Cora Pearle⁶, b. 1882; m. a Vaughn.

411. GEORGE R.⁵ CURD (Benjamin⁴, Joseph³, John², Edward¹), b. 1804; d. Mercer Co., Ky., December 25, 1872, son of Benjamin Curd and Susan Belcher; m. Lucy Brent Curd, b. February 13,

1817; d. in Missouri, August 15, 1898, dau. of Stephen and Sarah Porter Curd.

Several of their children settled in Missouri.

CHILDREN—CURD

- 530. i. Woodford Price⁶, b. Jan. 26, 1837; m. Nancy Dodd. They had five children.
- 531. ii. Benjamin Brush⁶, b. Aug. 31, 1840; d. in Missouri, Jan. 1911; m. Susie Mahan Smith of Trenton, Mo.
- 532. iii. Mary Brent⁶, b. Aug. 31, 1842; d. Apr. 27, 1915; m. Clayborn Bradshaw, b. Mar. 1, 1934; d. Aug. 2, 1903. They are buried at Shawnee Run.
- 533. iv. George Belcher⁶, b. Sept. 30, 1844; d. 1919; buried at Malta Bend, Mo.
- 534. v. Edward⁶ (Edmund), b. Jan. 14, 1847; d. May 8, 1921; buried at Malta Bend, Mo.
- 535. vi. Orpah Perkins⁶, b. Mar. 8, 1849; d. Jan. 18, 1934; m. Charles Sheppard.
- 536. vii. Pleasant⁶, b. Aug. 15, 1851; d. when 12 years of age.
- 537. viii. Annie Porter⁶, b. Nov. 10, 1853; m. Burdette Burks; had an only dau., Eliza, m. Royal Douglas.
- 538. ix. Millard Filmore⁶, b. Mar. 20, 1856; d. Jan. 7, 1903; buried at Malta Bend, Mo.
- +539. x. Stephen D.⁶, b. Feb. 15, 1859; d. Oct. 27, 1931; m. Sept. 12, 1895, Nora Hamilton of Trenton, Mo.
- 540. xi. Louis Grigsby⁶, b. Dec. 30, 1860; d. Nov. 21, 1889.

419. CHARLES CRITTENDEN⁵ CURD (Aaron Bartholomew⁴, Joseph³, John², Edward¹), b. Mercer Co., Ky., January 16, 1827; d. Neosho Falls, Kans., October 19, 1903, son of Aaron Bartholomew Curd and Nancy Wooldridge; m. November 7, 1860, Margaret Hollie Stephenson, b. October 15, 1841; d. January 17, 1911.

CHILDREN—CURD

- 541. i. Thomas Stephenson⁶, b. July 21, 1863; m. Oct. 11, 1888, Anna Jayne Evans.
- 542. ii. Anna Mary⁶, b. Apr. 5, 1865; m. Dec. 18, 1895, John N. Johnson.
- 543. iii. Sudie Bolin⁶, b. Jan. 20, 1867; m. May 31, 1899, Frank O. Wells.

- 544. iv. Gertrude Mortimer⁶, b. Feb. 16, 1869; m. Nov. 17, 1886, James C. Davies. She d. Aug. 28, 1888.
- 545. v. Owsley⁶, b. Dec. 31, 1871; m. Oct. 27, 1897, Ida Ward.
- 546. vi. Charles Misener⁶, b. Nov. 16, 1873; d. Aug. 8, 1898; never married.
- 547. vii. Effie May⁶, b. Nov. 1, 1879; m. (1) Apr. 18, 1918, Stanley Edwin Plews, who d. Dec. 8, 1924; m. Dec. 20, 1927, Albert Foster.
- 548. viii. John Craig⁶, b. Dec. 2, 1881; m. Oct. 16, 1912, Myrtle Burress.

All born in Kentucky except the two youngest who were born in Kansas.

420. DANIEL B.⁵ CURD (Aaron Bartholomew⁴, Joseph³, John², Edward¹), b. 1831; d. May 31, 1910, son of Aaron Bartholomew Curd and Nancy Wooldridge; m. (1) February 23, 1854, Margaret Davenport who d. 1865; m. (2) January 11, 1866, Hettie Smith Watson, who d. in Arkansas City, Kans., March 12, 1924. They moved first to Missouri, then to Kansas.

CHILDREN BY FIRST WIFE

- 549. i. Raleigh Davenport⁶, b. 1856; d. Mar. 24, 1913; m. Addie L. Chipp.
- 550. ii. Louisa Payne⁶, b. 1858; d. 1913; m. S. G. Reordan.
- 551. iii. Sallie Williams⁶, b. 1860.
- 552. iv. John Hampton⁶, b. 1861; m. Ida L. Hartman.

CHILDREN BY SECOND WIFE

- 553. v. Annie Watson⁶, b. July 27, 1867; d. Aug. 24, 1887.
- 554. vi. Elizabeth Wooldridge⁶, b. Aug. 6, 1870; m. 1909 at Astoria, Ore., Dr. Robert Carlton Ellsworth.
- 555. vii. Leslie Watson⁶, b. Jan. 11, 1874; d. Dec. 9, 1912; m. June 7, 1899, Rebecca Swartz.
- 556. viii. Minnie Bell⁶, b. Mar. 30, 1878; m. May 7, 1903, C. A. Goosey of Topeka, Kans.
- 557. ix. Amanda Didlake⁶, b. Dec. 20, 1880 in Missouri; m. Jan. 23, 1897, Will F. Dale.
- 558. x. Hettie Smith⁶, b. Apr. 11, 1883 in Kansas; d. Nov. 3, 1917; m. a Mr. Cook.
- 559. xi. Daniel B., Jr.⁶, b. June 5, 1885; d. Oct. 12, 1886.
- 560. xii. Oscar Lawrence⁶, b. Marion, Kans., Aug. 20, 1888;

m. Oct. 7, 1914, Mary Crook.

561. xiii. Dean Breckenridge⁶, b. Dec. 23, 1892; d. Nov. 21, 1926; m. Apr. 11, 1918, Ednah Williams.

430. NEWTON⁵ CURD (Stephen⁴, Joseph³, John², Edward¹), b. 1829; d. 1917, son of Stephen Curd and his wife Sarah Porter Curd; m. January 2, 1866, Mary A. Davis.

CHILDREN—CURD

562. i. Addie Pleasant⁶, b. 1867; m. Nov. 5, 1890, Morgan Crane.
 563. ii. Marion F.⁶, b. Nov. 29, 1868; d. May 9, 1888, unmarried.
 +564. iii. Mason Owen⁶, b. 1871; m. 1902, Mary Irene Kerr.
 565. iv. Samuel Davis⁶, b. 1873; d. young.

SIXTH GENERATION

433. DR. JOHN R.⁶ CURD (Knight B.⁵, Daniel⁴, Joseph³, John², Edward¹), b. 1822; d. December 8, 1889, son of Knight Bowles Curd and Mary Briggs; m. (1) August 17, 1848, Sarilda J. Simpson; m. (2) November 30, 1864, Fannie E. Lewis. He was a physician, lived at Bowling Green, Franklin and Rockdale, Ky.

CHILDREN BY FIRST WIFE

566. i. John James⁷, b. Oct. 19, 1849; d. May 15, 1932; m. Mrs. D. Huffman, a widow.
 567. ii. Mary Julia⁷, b. May 1852; d. Aug. 28, 1902; m. Wes. Crotzer.
 568. iii. Richard Henry⁷, b. Oct. 1854; m. (1) June 8, 1884, Minnie McDavitt who d. 1918; m. (2) Mrs. Charles McGinnis who d. 1922.
 569. iv. Albert Briggs⁷, b. Feb. 11, 1859; d. Jan. 25, 1927; lived in Montgomery Co., Tenn.; never married.
 570. v. Sarilda⁷, b. 1861; d. Oct. 22, 1888; her will, Warren Co., Ky., deeds property to her sister Mary J.
 571. vi. Charles Briggs⁷, b. May 10, 1863; d. Feb. 7, 1909; m. Feb. 11, 1892, Elizabeth Turner, dau. of Richard O. Turner; lived in Montgomery Co., Tenn.

CHILDREN BY SECOND WIFE

572. vii. Edward⁷, b. Oct. 26, 1867; d. Dec. 8, 1903; never married.

- 573 vii. Seth⁷, b. 1868; d. young.
 574 ix. Ross⁷, b. Sept. 10, 1871; m. Sept. 16, 1896, Dozia
 (Doshie) Crotzer who d. Feb. 25, 1933; lives in
 Montgomery Co., Tenn.

437. DR. J. KNIGHT⁶ CURD (Knight B.⁵, Daniel⁴, Joseph³, John², Edward¹), b. February 1, 1830; d. October 29, 1893, son of Knight Bowles Curd and Mary Briggs; m. March 11, 1856, Mary Catherine Courts, b. February 17, 1838; d. December 7, 1914. He was a much beloved physician, lived at Bowling Green, Ky.

CHILDREN—CURD

575. i. Mary Elizabeth⁷, b. Oct. 19, 1857; d. 1859.
 576. ii. Emily Frances⁷, b. July 29, 1859; d. Apr. 21, 1895;
 m. May 2, 1882, David B. Clarke.
 577. iii. Presley Knight⁷, b. July 7, 1862; d. Sept. 11, 1872.
 578. iv. Nannie James⁷, b. Mar. 10, 1865; m. (1) June 11,
 1885, Wm. E. McDavitt who d. Dec. 22, 1888;
 m. (2) Henry Jenkins who d. May 22, 1901; m.
 (3) Aug. 12, 1912, John L. Green.
 579. v. Calvin Winn⁷, b. Mar. 23, 1867; d. Jan. 7, 1936;
 m. Mar. 3, 1912, Margaret Winn.
 580. vi. Lillie D.⁷, b. Mar. 15, 1869; d. same day.
 581. vii. Twin girls, b. July 4, 1871; d. same day.
 582. viii. Dallie⁷, b. Mar. 23, 1873; m. Mar. 26, 1891, James
 D. Taylor.
 583. ix. Malon Genevieve⁷, b. Nov. 20, 1878; m. Nov. 20,
 1901, Seymour Horace Brown.

438. ROBERT S.⁶ CURD (Joseph⁵, Daniel⁴, Joseph³, John², Edward¹), b. July 15, 1821; d. December 20, 1883, son of Joseph Curd and Frances Slaughter; m. October 14, 1849, Mary Ellen Curd, b. 1828; d. October 1919, dau. of Joseph Curd and Mildred Slaughter.

CHILDREN—CURD

584. i. Gilforth Seth⁷, b. 1850; d. 1896; m. Mary Wood.
 585. ii. Parmelia⁷, b. 1852; m. Will Tillett.
 586. iii. Alma Frances⁷, b. 1855; m. J. C. Cox.
 587. iv. Joseph Edmund⁷, b. 1857; d. 1862.
 588. v. George Knight⁷, b. 1860; m. Henrietta Hill.
 589. vi. Robert James⁷, b. 1866; m. Lillian Rough, dau. of
 George H. Rough of Niles, Mich.

440. SETH⁶ (DANIEL SETH) CURD (Joseph⁵, Daniel⁴, Joseph³, John², Edward¹), b. September 16, 1825; d. February 15, 1898, son of Joseph Curd and Frances Slaughter; m. (1) January 17, 1849, Catherine Perry, dau. of George Perry of Owen Co., Ky.; m. (2) Susan Cook Curd, widow of Reuben J. Curd and dau. of Rev. Strother Cook. This family lived in Carroll Co., Ky.

CHILDREN BY FIRST WIFE

- 590. i. Joseph Edward⁷, b. Apr. 16, 1850; d. Sept. 1883.
- 591. ii. Mary Frances⁷, b. Sept. 16, 1851; d. 1900; m. Will Stephenson.
- 592. iii. Robert D.⁷, b. Feb. 2, 1853; m. Feb. 16, 1891, Ruth Macgruder.
- 593. iv. Susie⁷, b. Nov. 2, 1854; never married.
- 594. v. Seth⁷, b. July 16, 1865; m. Molly Perry.
- 595. vi. Lewis J.⁷, b. May 15, 1858; m. Mar. 1916, Sally Murphy; living 1935 in Owen Co., Ky.
- 596. vii. Annie⁷, b. Aug. 18, 1864; m. Noble Smith.

447. OWEN THOMAS⁶ CURD (Edmund⁵, Daniel⁴, Joseph³, John², Edward¹), b. Jessamine Co., Ky., 1829; d. 1901, son of Edmond Curd and Eliza Weston Thomas; m. 1850, Sarah E. Wiley. Lived at Charleston, Ill.

CHILDREN—CURD

- 597. i. Elnora⁷, b. 1850.
- 598. ii. Ida Lewil⁷, b. 1853.
- 599. iii. Ora Seth⁷, b. 1855.
- 600. iv. Charles⁷, b. 1857.
- 601. v. Palmer Ellsworth⁷, b. 1860.
- 602. vi. Lelia⁷, b. 1862.
- 603. vii. Edmund⁷, b. 1865.
- 604. viii. Nellie.⁷

450. DANIEL A.⁶ CURD (Edmund⁵, Daniel⁴, Joseph³, John², Edward¹), b. 1834; d. 1882, son of Edmund Curd and Eliza Weston Thomas; m. November 29, 1855, Amanda Perkins. Lived at Charleston, Ill.

CHILDREN—CURD

- 605. i. Vitula.⁷
- 606. ii. Omar.⁷
- 607. iii. Mark.⁷

451. JOSEPH EDMUND⁶ CURD (Edmund⁵, Daniel⁴, Joseph³, John², Edward¹), b. October 23, 1837; d. Charleston, Ill., October 23, 1909, son of Edmund Curd and Eliza Weston Thomas; m. November 13, 1860, Ann Eliza Landers.

CHILDREN—CURD

- 608. i. Laura⁷, b. Jan. 22, 1862; m. July 29, 1881, William Writ Carnes.
- 609. ii. George⁷, b. Nov. 12, 1864; d. 1865.
- 610. iii. Virgil⁷, b. Apr. 20, 1872.

464. DR. JOHN N.⁶ CURD (William⁵, John⁴, Joseph³, John², Edward¹), b. March 29, 1834; d. January 3, 1915, son of William M. Curd and Susan Davis; m. (1) May, 1869, Ella Winter, b. January 28, 1849, d. January 31, 1887, dau. of Dr. A. J. Winter, b. February 21, 1819; d. December 28, 1890; m. (2) Mary Cook, dau. of Dr. Nicholas Cook. He studied medicine at the University of Nashville and at the outbreak of the Civil War joined the 45th Regular Tennessee Regiment, C. S. A. and served in the capacity of hospital steward and assistant surgeon throughout the war.

CHILDREN BY FIRST WIFE

- 611. i. Gela⁷, b. July 23, 1871; d. May 1896; m. Dr. William P. Barton.
- 612. ii. Dr. William E.⁷, b. Apr. 26, 1873; d. Jan. 11, 1911; m. Ailene Milne—without issue.
- 613. iii. Elmer⁷, b. Mar. 5, 1875; m. Clara Yelton, dau. of B. C. Yelton; lives at Mt. Juliet, Tenn., 1936.
- 614. iv. Edgar⁷, b. July 25, 1879; m. Sophie Bass, dau. of Summerfield Bass.
- 615. v. Mary⁷, b. July 27, 1881; m. (1) Orville Hessey; m. (2) B. F. Everett.

CHILD BY SECOND WIFE

- 616. vi. Helen⁷, b. Nov. 12, 1893.

470. MARTHA⁶ CURD (Price⁵, John⁴, Joseph³, John², Edward¹), b. November 15, 1840; d. December 12, 1913, dau. of Price Curd and Elizabeth A. Hall; m. March 29, 1865, Joseph W. Dodson, b. October 15, 1820; d. December 27, 1897.

CHILDREN—DODSON

- i. Joseph⁷, b. Apr. 20, 1866; d. Dec. 3, 1936; m. Nannie Enloe, dau. of Dr. Thomas Enloe. One son.

- ii. Agnes E.⁷, b. Aug. 15, 1868; m. at Hermitage, Tenn., Mar. 1, 1904, Frank D. Fuller; living at Memphis, Tenn., 1936; has dau., Elizabeth, b. Dec. 20, 1904; m. W. C. Sloan of Jonesboro, Ark.

CHILDREN—SLOAN

- 1. Barbara Aldrich, b. Aug. 5, 1927.
- 2. William C., Jr., b. Oct. 16, 1930.
- 3. Frank Fergus, b. Dec. 16, 1932.
- 4. Betty Fuller, b. Jan. 6, 1938.
- iii. Price G.⁷, b. Apr. 22, 1870; m. Juliet Critz, dau. of T. L. Critz; living at Hammond, La., 1936; has three children.
- iv. Sarah⁷, b. Apr. 22, 1873; d. June 19, 1905; m. Apr. 15, 1901, Judge J. D. B. DeBow of Nashville, Tenn.; had dau., Martha Johns DeBow who m. Dudley Cacey.
- v. Eva⁷, b. Aug. 23, 1875; d. Dec. 24, 1882.

472. EDWARD⁶ CURD (Price⁵, John⁴, Joseph³, John², Edward¹), b. December 30, 1845; d. April 21, 1916, son of Price Curd and Elizabeth Hall; m. October 24, 1867, Josephine Owen, b. February 19, 1846; d. February 5, 1918, dau. of Stephen W. Owen, b. January 20, 1817, d. December 24, 1851 and Mary Jane Harris, b. November 1, 1824, d. December 19, 1897. He lived at Franklin, Tenn.

CHILDREN—CURD

- 617. i. Owen H.⁷, b. Aug. 7, 1868; d. s. p., Apr. 6, 1885.
- 618. ii. Edward⁷, b. Jan. 27, 1872; m. Letitia Fairleigh, dau. of Robert McLure Fairleigh and Ann Slaughter of Hopkinsville, Ky.
- 619. iii. Price⁷, b. Nov. 3, 1875; d. Feb. 12, 1931; m. Apr. 1, 1900, Bonnie Hamlett, b. May 15, 1880, dau. of William James Hamlett, b. May 14, 1845, d. Apr. 14, 1885 and Anna Bond, b. Feb. 2, 1855, d. Aug. 6, 1933.
- 620. iv. Harris B.⁷, b. Dec. 17, 1880; d. s. p., May 15, 1910.

473. EMILY⁶ CURD (Price⁵, John⁴, Joseph³, John², Edward¹), b. July 11, 1849; d. June 1, 1929, dau. of Price Curd and Elizabeth A. Hall; m. December 8, 1869, James J. Eatherly, b. May 20, 1830; d. April 4, 1912.

CHILDREN—EATHERLY

- i. Clarence⁷, b. Sept. 23, 1870; d. s. p., Apr. 1892.
- ii. Walter⁷, b. Nov. 26, 1871; m. Apr. 24, 1918, Maude Belcher, dau. of John Belcher.
- iii. Minnie⁷, b. Jan. 7, 1874; d. Jan. 4, 1932; m. Oct. 27, 1892, Samuel Graves, son of James Graves and Elizabeth O'Connor.
- iv. Anna Elizabeth⁷, b. Dec. 3, 1875; m. Dec. 26, 1895, Arthur Creswell, son of William Creswell and Eliza Parrish.
- v. Marye⁷, b. Sept. 4, 1877; living 1937.
- vi. Carrie⁷, b. Mar. 15, 1885; m. Oct. 17, 1907, Sidney S. Milum, son of James Milum and Sarah Louis.
- vii. Ruby⁷, b. Oct. 8, 1887; d. Mar. 3, 1890.

474. PLEASANT⁶ CURD (Price⁵, John⁴, Joseph³, John², Edward¹), b. March 2, 1850; d. February 19, 1927, son of Price Curd and his wife Elizabeth A. Hall; removed to Clarksville, Texas, where he married Mollie Gaines, b. April 23, 1858; d. February 9, 1933, dau. of W. C. Gaines; removed later to Stamford, Texas.

CHILDREN—CURD

- 621. i. William Price⁷, b. Jan. 31, 1877; m. Bettie Smith, dau. of J. S. Smith, Stamford, Tex. Have two children, a son and a daughter.
- 622. ii. Charles⁷, b. July 1878; d. Aug. 1895.
- 623. iii. Howard L.⁷, b. Oct. 24, 1880; m. Vina Cole, dau. of James Cole of Lake Charles, La. Have two children, a son and a daughter.
- 624. iv. J. D.⁷, b. July 28, 1884; m. Mary A. Forrester, dau. of Rufus Forrester. Have four children, a son and three daughters.
- 625. v. Ethel M.⁷, b. Jan. 19, 1890; m. Wesley D. Hisey, son of D. W. (Ken) Hisey, Stamford, Tex. Have five children, a son and four daughters.
- 626. vi. Pleasant, Jr.⁷, b. Feb. 19, 1895; m. Zada Stafford, dau. of William Stafford.

483. REUBEN J.⁶ CURD (John⁵, Joseph⁴, Joseph³, John², Edward¹), b. March 12, 1837; d. July 3, 1879, son of John Curd and Mary H. Munday; m. (1) May 23, 1855, Susannah H. M. Curd, b. November 11, 1836, d. May 23, 1865, dau. of Joseph

Curd and Frances Slaughter; m. (2) December 17, 1867, Susan Bell Cook, b. November 13, 1846, d. March 27, 1921, dau. of Rev. Strother Cook, Sr. He and his first wife are buried at Curds-ville, Mercer Co., Ky.

CHILD BY FIRST WIFE

627. i. Ella Nora⁷, b. 1865; d. 1905; m. William Schrug-ham.

CHILDREN BY SECOND WIFE

628. ii. Strother Cook⁷, b. Dec. 19, 1869; d. 1905; m. Dec. 24, 1890, Mary Jane King, b. Nov. 1, 1873.
 629. iii. Luther Truehart⁷, b. June 9, 1872; m. Amanda Smith.
 630. iv. Lucy Bell⁷, b. Nov. 12, 1874; m. Aug. 2, 1892, John W. Ison, b. June 7, 1866.
 631. v. Reuben Munday⁷, b. 1877; d. 1879.
 632. vi. Amy Ruby⁷, b. 1878; d. 1878.

484. JOSEPH T.⁶ CURD (John⁵, Joseph⁴, Joseph³, John², Edward¹), b. March 15, 1839, son of John Curd and Mary H. Munday; m. Malinda Poore, b. May 3, 1841; d. December 26, 1911, lived in Mercer Co., Ky.

CHILDREN—CURD

633. i. Artis Wilson⁷, b. July 1865; m. Minnie Ruby Munday.
 634. ii. John Robert⁷, b. 1867; m. Elvarie Bradshaw.
 635. iii. Mary Hallie⁷, b. 1869; m. James Campbell, hus-band first of her sister Sallie.
 636. iv. Sallie Bettie⁷, b. 1873; d. 1904; m. James Campbell.
 637. v. Lucretia ("Lulie") Bell⁷, b. Oct. 1, 1875; m. Dee King.

487. J. V. MUNDAY⁶ CURD (John⁵, Joseph⁴, Joseph³, John², Edward¹), b. 1847; d. 1902, son of John Curd and Mary H. Munday; m. May 2, 1882, Thompson Ann England, b. December 7, 1850; d. May 6, 1916.

CHILDREN—CURD

638. i. John Warren⁷, b. 1883; m. Pearl Worley.
 639. ii. Mabel Price⁷, b. 1886; d. 1903.

488. EDMUND ROBERT⁶ CURD (John⁵, Joseph⁴, Joseph³, John², Edward¹), b. 1849; d. May 20, 1894, son of John Curd and Mary H. Munday; m. Mary Susan Dorman.

CHILDREN—CURD

- 640. i. James M. T.⁷, b. 1874; d. 1914.
- 641. ii. John Coleman⁷, b. 1875.
- 642. iii. Mary Eliza⁷, b. Sept. 1, 1877; m. John Archer.
- 643. iv. Lizzie Grooms⁷, b. 1879; m. M. H. Smith.
- 644. v. Charles Robert⁷, b. Aug. 4, 1882; m. Virginia Blanche McNeal.
- 645. vi. Joseph Lowry Overton⁷, b. 1894; d. young.

492. JAMES MADISON⁶ CURD (James⁵, Joseph⁴, Joseph³, John², Edward¹), b. July 11, 1838; d. June 13, 1923, son of James Curd and Sarah Wood; m. September 3, 1873, Ada L. Burgin.

CHILDREN—CURD

- 646. i. Lillian⁷, m. Everett Elliott.
- 647. ii. Temple Curd.⁷
- 648. iii. Wallace Curd.⁷

496. LEONARD TURLEY⁶ CURD (Robert Slaughter⁵, Joseph⁴, Joseph³, John², Edward¹), b. May 23, 1841; d. October 6, 1923, son of Robert Slaughter Curd and Rebecca Ann McCoun; m. 1865, Mary Kurtz.

CHILDREN—CURD

- 649. i. Sophia Mildred⁷, b. Jan. 20, 1866; m. (1) Andrew Upton; m. (2) John Crawford.
- 650. ii. Henry Alexander⁷, b. Dec. 25, 1867; m. (1) Mary Bettie Oliver; m. (2) Ollie R. Chipley.
- 651. iii. Robert David⁷, b. 1870; m. Mattie Murphy.
- 652. iv. Mareus⁷, b. 1872; d. in infancy.
- 653. v. Leonard James⁷, b. May 17, 1875; m. Florence Dickerson.
- 654. vi. Florence Ann⁷, b. Oct. 20, 1877; m. Will Crawford.
- 655. vii. Jesse Munday⁷, b. Apr. 17, 1882; m. (1) 1902, Cora Derringer; m. (2) Virginia Norton.

498. ALEXANDER⁶ CURD (Robert Slaughter⁵, Joseph⁴, Joseph³, John², Edward¹), b. April 4, 1845; d. March 30, 1924, son of

Robert Slaughter Curd and Rebecca Ann McCoun; m. January 8, 1866, Laura Phidelia Wells, b. March 2, 1845; d. February 6, 1917. He is the Alexander Curd who compiled the Curd ms.

CHILDREN—CURD

- 656. i. Sylvia Rebecca⁷, b. Aug. 9, 1867; d. Jan. 18, 1895; m. (1) Dec. 14, 1889, Albert Alvin Ayers who d. Apr. 6, 1891; m. (2) Jan. 15, 1894, J. H. Betzer.
- 657. ii. Mercer Calhoun⁷, b. Sept. 1, 1869; m. Emma H. Lempert.
- 658. iii. Geneva May⁷, b. Nov. 19, 1872; m. Sept. 6, 1896, Robert Wilburn Walker, b. Mar. 11, 1869.
- 659. iv. Cora Weston⁷, b. Aug. 20, 1877; m. Dec. 12, 1893, James William Bland. They have a daughter, Jessamine Bland* who m. Roland James and lives at Tucson, Ariz.

502. ROBERT McDOWELL⁶ CURD (Robert Slaughter⁵, Joseph⁴, Joseph³, John², Edward¹), b. 1853; d. July 3 or 8, 1893, son of Robert Slaughter Curd and Rebecca Ann McCoun; m. November 18, 1873, Ophelia Steenbergen.

CHILDREN—CURD

- 660. i. James Elwood⁷, b. 1875; m. Maud B. Dollins.
- 661. ii. Jackson S.⁷, b. 1877; d. young.
- 662. iii. John Price⁷, b. 1879; m. Annie Parsons.
- 663. iv. Sallie Yearger⁷, b. 1886; d. 1897.
- 664. v. Taylor.⁷
- 665. vi. Willie Twaddle⁷, b. 1888; d. Oct. 5, 1905.
- 666. vii. Raymond Calhoun⁷, b. 1892; living in Chicago, Ill., 1934.

505. DAVID THOMPSON⁶ CURD (Robert Slaughter⁵, Joseph⁴, Joseph³, John², Edward¹), b. August 13, 1858; d. November 13, 1894, son of Robert Slaughter Curd and Rebecca Ann McCoun; m. November 20, 1878, Annie P. Elkin.

CHILDREN—CURD

- 667. i. Reuben James Howard⁷, b. Feb. 3, 1880; d. Aug. 14, 1901.

*The compilers of this genealogy are deeply indebted to Mrs. Roland James for having furnished us with the Curd records gathered by her grandfather Alexander Curd and for much additional assistance rendered in completing this compilation.

668. ii. William Taylor⁷, b. Oct. 27, 1881; m. Minnie Winkle.
 669. iii. Robert Alexander⁷, b. Dec. 1885; d. June 30, 1897.
 670. iv. Allie May⁷, b. Aug. 19, 1892; m. Apr. 16, 1915, Jake Bell.

514. HENRY CLAY⁶ CURD (Gabriel S.⁵, Joseph⁴, Joseph³, John², Edward¹), b. 1853, son of Gabriel S. Curd and Elizabeth Coghill; m. Mary Etta Walters.

CHILDREN—CURD

671. i. Ora M.⁷, b. 1877.
 672. ii. Gabrella⁷, b. 1879.
 673. iii. Bert Dudley⁷, b. 1881.
 674. iv. Leslie Rowland⁷, b. 1883.
 675. v. Malcolm Clay⁷, b. 1885.
 676. vi. Herman Lee⁷, b. 1887.
 677. vii. Cromwell H.⁷, b. 1891.
 678. viii. Lena M.⁷, b. 1893.

515. JOHN C.⁶ CURD (Gabriel S.⁵, Joseph⁴, Joseph³, John², Edward¹), b. 1854, son of Gabriel S. Curd and Elizabeth Coghill; m. December 12, 1878, Mattie Burchell.

CHILDREN—CURD

679. i. Florence⁷, b. 1879; m. Charley Funk.
 680. ii. John⁷, b. 1881; m. 1910, Mattie Moore.

516. GABRIEL ROWLAND⁶ CURD (Gabriel S.⁵, Joseph⁴, Joseph³, John², Edward¹), b. November 9, 1859, son of Gabriel S. Curd and Elizabeth Coghill; m. Maggie C. Burchell.

CHILDREN—CURD

681. i. Elizabeth Ann⁷, b. 1885.
 682. ii. Walter⁷, b. 1888.
 683. iii. Garnett.⁷
 684. iv. Edith B.⁷, b. 1891.
 685. v. Bertina⁷, b. 1894.

539. STEPHEN D.⁶ CURD (George R.⁵, Benjamin⁴, Joseph³, John², Edward¹), b. February 15, 1898; d. October 27, 1931,

son of George R. Curd and Lucy Brent Curd; m. September 12, 1895, Nora Hamilton of Trenton, Mo. They resided in Missouri.

CHILDREN—CURD

- 686. i. Louis Grady⁷, b. Oct. 29, 1897; m. Feb. 12, 1928, Arabelle Hawkins.
- 687. ii. Mirian Frances⁷, b. Feb. 20, 1901; m. Sept. 12, 1920, Laura F. Harris.
- 688. iii. Lucy Brent⁷, b. Feb. 22, 1904; living at Malta Bend, Mo., 1934.

564. MASON OWEN⁶ CURD (Newton⁵, Stephen⁴, Joseph³, John², Edward¹), b. 1871, son of Newton Curd and Mary A. Davis; m. 1902, Irene Kerr.

CHILDREN—CURD

- 689. i. Mary Isabella⁷, b. 1903.
- 690. ii. Robert Newton⁷, b. 1905.
- 691. iii. Marion Owen⁷, b. 1907.
- 692. iv. Samuel Twimen⁷, b. 1910.
- 693. v. Ralph William⁷, b. 1912.

Group Five—Third Generation

13. CHARLES³ CURD (John², Edward¹), son of John Curd and Elizabeth Price, was the first Curd to emigrate to Kentucky, and was there prior to 1778 as he was one of the signers of a petition presented to the "Honourable House of the Assembly, for the State of Virginia," complaining and asking redress because under the act creating a Land office for the County of Kentucky, those inhabitants who came early, traded with the Indians for land, endured the early hardships and losses were by said act not only left without protection in their rights and property, but were placed at a disadvantage to those who came after and just prior to January 1st, 1778.*

The grievances of the early settlers led to the passage of an act, entitled, an act adjusting and settling the titles of claimers to unpatented land. Hennings Statutes, Vol. 10, p. 38. He was also along with Squire Boone and others one of the signers of a petition presented May 1, 1780, to the "Honourable, the Speaker and Gentleman of the House of Delegates, State of Virginia" from "the inhabitants of the County of Kentucky living at the Falls of the River Ohio" (Louisville) setting forth that said inhabitants had at "great risque and expense removed to this remote part of the State and from the advantageous situation of the place, both for trade and safety, was induced to settle here and have laid out a Town under directions of persons appointed for that purpose by the Courts of Kentucky (a plan of which we have sent to be laid before you), and when laid out we cast lotts for the choice of the Lotts, in said Town, and have improved and settled on some of these Lotts." The petition further sets forth their desire to have title to these lotts confirmed and "not let us be turned out of houses we have built and from lotts we have improved."†

This request was granted by an Act, entitled an act for establishing the town of Louisville at the Falls of the Ohio. Hennings Statutes, Vol. 10, p. 293.

*Petition No. 8. Robertson's Petitions of the Early Inhabitants of Kentucky.

†Petition No. 11. Robertson's Petitions.

These petitions show that Charles Curd was in Kentucky prior to 1778, and that he was one of the founders of Louisville. Family tradition says that he was one of George Rogers Clark's Corn Island party and that he owned and lived on the adjoining lot to Squire Boone at Louisville.

April 29, 1780, he was given a grant of 50 acres, and May 16, 1780, a grant of 800 acres in Jefferson Co., and January 16, 1784, a grant of 1000 acres in Fayette Co., Ky.

In Land Grant Book No. 18, p. 67, on file at Richmond, Va. we find the following grant:

Know ye that by virtue & in consideration of *part* of Land Office Treasury Warrant Number six hundred fifty seven, issued the fifteenth day of October one thousand seven hundred seventy nine, there is granted by the said Commonwealth unto John Curd, Senr., heir at law of Charles Curd, dec'd, a certain tract or parcel of land containing eight hundred acres by survey bearing date the twenty seventh day of April, one thousand seven hundred and eighty five, lying and being in the county of Fayette in the second large bottom above the mouth of the Little Miamee on the south side of the Ohio River and bounded as followeth, to-wit—beginning at a hoopwood, an old corner on the bank of the Ohio on the upper side of the mouth of a (word rubbed) from thence extending south fifty degrees, west three hundred & twenty poles to ash, buckeye and beech, thence south forty degrees, east four hundred poles to two sugar trees and a buckeye, thence north fifty degrees, east three hundred and thirty poles to two Buckeye and a beech on the bank of the River, thence down the River bending on the same north forty four degrees, west two hundred and fifty four poles, north thirty nine degrees, west one hundred and forty seven poles to the beginning with its appurtenances, to have and to hold the said tract or parcel of land with its appurtenances to the said John Curd, Sen. and his heirs forever. In witness whereof the said Edmund Randolph, Esquire, Governor of the Commonwealth of Virginia hath hereunto set his hand and caused the lesser seal of the said Commonwealth to be affixed at the office at Richmond on the third day of July in the year of our Lord, one thousand seven hundred and eighty eight and of the Commonwealth the twelfth.

A line has been drawn through this grant and at the head of same is written "This grant made to John Curd thro' mistake, for by the will of Charles Curd it is devised to his other brother." Since John was the only brother Charles had living in Kentucky, if this note is correct then the land was intended for one of his brothers living in Virginia.

We find no record of the will or administration of the estate of Charles Curd, nor do we find any record of his marriage or children and are undecided as to whether this grant indicates that Charles Curd died without issue and that his estate went to his brothers or whether this particular grant went to John Curd because of some agreement between the two brothers.

However since we find in Kentucky an Edmund Curd born in Goochland Co., Va., November 12, 1772, whom we cannot definitely place as the son of any of the Curds of the third generation we are arbitrarily placing this Edmund as a possible son of Charles Curd for want of a better place to list him and his descendants. On the other hand since there is some doubt about our having a complete record of the children of William³ Curd of Buckingham Co., Va., it is possible for Edmund to have been a son of this William, and William may have been "the other brother" who inherited the Charles Curd land and in that way Edmund may have come to Kentucky to take possession of same and removed from Fayette Co., Ky., to Shelby Co., Ky., along with the family of Edmund, son of Richard. The first definite record we have of this Edmund is the deed to the land he purchased in Shelby Co., September 30, 1799.

FOURTH GENERATION

DESCENDANTS OF EDMUND CURD OF CALLOWAY CO., KY.

594. EDMUND⁴ CURD, ANCESTRY UNDETERMINED, b. in Goochland Co., Va., November 12, 1772; d. Calloway Co., Ky., August 18, 1846. We first find him of record in Shelby Co., Ky., where he is recorded as purchasing land September 30, 1799, and where he m. (1) April 8, 1800, Mildred ("Milly") Herriford. On March 9, 1807 in a Shelby Co. deed he is called of Logan Co. He m. (2) in Logan Co., Mary ("Polly") Grizzard who died May 4, 1850. He removed to Calloway Co., Ky., about 1821 and settled at Wadesboro, the first County Seat of Calloway Co. He was Land Commissioner for all of that section of Kentucky lying between the Tennessee and Mississippi Rivers familiarly known as "Jackson's Purchase." The act creating the land office required the Commissioner to offer for sale to the highest bidder each alternate section of land lying west of the Tennessee River and required the land to bring \$1.00 per acre; later the price was

reduced to 50c per acre. Here he and his sons received large grants of land. He died in 1846 leaving a large estate, will dated July 22, 1846, proved August 24, 1846, Book C, page 148. He and his second wife are buried at Wadesboro. He should not be confused with Edmund Curd son of Richard who was contemporaneous with him in both Shelby and Logan Counties. We are unable to explain why his descendants made such free use of the name Brent in naming their children, unless his mother was a Brent or possibly on account of the wide influence of Lucy Brent, wife of John Curd, with the Curd families in Kentucky.

CHILDREN BY FIRST WIFE

- +595. i. Richard⁵, b. Shelby Co., Ky.; m. Zilpha Grizzard, b. Mar. 20, 1799; d. July 15, 1876.
- +596. ii. Charles⁵, b. Shelby Co., Ky., Jan. 16, 1804; d. Calloway Co., Ky., Mar. 9, 1876; m. Nov. 11, 1824, Sally B. Martin.
- +597. iii. Edward⁵, b. Logan Co., Ky., July 21, 1808; d. Calloway Co., July 23, 1857; m. (1) Sept. 11, 1834, Mary Mills Caldwell; m. (2) Sept. 11, 1838, Irene A. ("Irena") (Worthington) Crenshaw, a widow, b. May 6, 1817; d. June 15, 1889.
- 598. iv. Eliza⁵, b. Logan Co., Ky., June 4, 1810; d. Calloway Co., June 21, 1885; m. (1) May 1, 1827, Andrew Smith who d. Sept. 19, 1840; m. (2) Mar. 18, 1845, William M. Starks.
- 599. v. Sarah ("Sallie")⁵, m. Edward L. Brown.
- 600. vi. Jane⁵, m. Aug. 1, 1831, Perry G. Imes.

CHILDREN BY SECOND WIFE

- +601. vii. William Hardy⁵, b. Logan Co., Ky., Aug. 23, 1819; d. Calloway Co., Ky., Jan. 1894; m. (1) in Logan Co., Ky., Nov. 26, 1840, Frances J. Hill; m. (2) in Todd Co., Ky., Oct. 20, 1842, Emily J. Bailey, b. June 9, 1822; d. Jan. 16, 1888, dau. of John A. Bailey.
- +602. viii. Joel Hall⁵, b. Calloway Co., Ky., Feb. 19, 1824; d. Aug. 6, 1891; m. Mary S. Bailey of Todd Co., Ky., b. Dec. 4, 1829; d. June 17, 1891, dau. of John A. Bailey.
- 603. ix. Elizabeth⁵, m. Philip Hollingsworth; removed to Colorado.

- +604. x. Edmund G.⁵, b. Calloway Co., Ky., 1830; d. Mayfield, Ky., 1896; m. (1) Martrunia Jones, sister of Tom Jones of Murray, Ky.; m. (2) Mary E. ("Puss") Gardner, b. 1848; d. 1906.

FIFTH GENERATION

595. RICHARD⁵ CURD (Edmund⁴, —³, John², Edward¹), son of Edmund Curd and Mildred Herriford, b. Shelby Co., Ky., about 1801; m. Zilpha Grizzard, b. March 20, 1799; d. July 15, 1876. She was sister of Mary Grizzard, second wife of Richard's father. He had five children, all daughters.

CHILDREN—CURD

605. i. Coleman⁶, m. a Dodd.
 606. ii. Mary⁶, m. (1) a Butler; m. (2) George Sweeney; m. (3) a Luter. No children.
 607. iii. Mildred⁶, m. Mar. 30, 1842, Isaac Keys.
 608. iv. Barthenia⁶, m. and moved to Denton Co., Tex., where she d. Dec. 24, 1874, leaving at least one son.
 609. v. Louisa I.⁶, m. June 13, 1843, John H. Overton; removed to Holly Springs, Miss.

596. CHARLES⁵ CURD (Edmund⁴, —³, John², Edward¹), b. Shelby Co., Ky., January 16, 1804; d. Calloway Co., Ky., March 9, 1876, son of Edmund Curd and Mildred Herriford; m. (1) November 11, 1824, Sally B. Martin, b. Hopkins Co., Ky., July 1, 1807; d. August 6, 1866; m. (2) Mrs. Catherine (Rowe) Peak, a widow. He owned the land on which Murray, the County Seat, was founded. He and his first wife are buried at New Providence, Calloway Co., Ky.

CHILDREN BY FIRST WIFE

610. i. Newton⁶, b. Oct. 22, 1825; d. Apr. 2, 1849; unmarried.
 611. ii. Elizabeth Cordelia⁶, b. Jan. 23, 1827; m. Dec. 15, 1846, an Austin.
 +612. iii. James Edward⁶, b. Aug. 5, 1828; d. 1913; m. (1) Jan. 15, 1852, Lucy St. John; m. (2) Eliza Ann Baker.
 613. iv. Milly Priscilla⁶, b. Sept. 30, 1829; d. Apr. 20, 1837.

- 614. v. Martha Adeline⁶, b. Dec. 2, 1831; m. Sept. 18, 1851, an Utterback from Henry Co., Tenn.
- 615. vi. Benjamin Smith⁶, b. Sept. 7, 1833; removed to Morley, Mo.; m. July 1, 1856, Sarah Catherine ("Kate") Price.
- 616. vii. Richard⁶, b. Aug. 26, 1835; d. Apr. 5, 1839.
- 617. viii. Huldah Jane⁶, b. Dec. 15, 1837; d. Apr. 7, 1839.
- 618. ix. Mary Madeline⁶, b. Apr. 23, 1839; d. May 1, 1839.
- 619. x. Charles Herriford⁶, b. Oct. 1, 1840; d. 1872; m. Todd Co., Ky., Sept. 18, 1860, Mary Cheatham.
- +620. xi. Dr. Edmund Brent⁶, b. Aug. 7, 1842; d. Apr. 22, 1923; m. Emily Frances Felts, dau. of Warwick H. Felts.
- 621. xii. Richard Leonidas⁶, b. May 19, 1845; m. Panola Watkins; removed to Texas.
- 622. xiii. Israel Davis⁶, b. Dec. 11, 1846; d. Mar. 5, 1848.
- 623. xiv. Sarah Newton⁶, b. Sept. 1, 1849; m. James Russell; removed to Texas.
- 624. xv. Thomas Arthur⁶, b. Oct. 8, 1851; m. (1) Mollie McGehee; removed to Texas where he m. a second time.

CHILD BY SECOND WIFE

- 625. xvi. Mildred ("Milly")⁶, m. Thomas Brinn. Lived in Calloway Co., Ky.

597. EDWARD⁵ CURD (Edmund⁴, —³, John², Edward¹), b. July 21, 1808; d. July 23, 1857, son of Edmund Curd; m. (1) September 11, 1834, Mary Mills Caldwell, b. October 9, 1815, d. October 22, 1835, dau. of Robert and Permelia Caldwell; m. (2) September 11, 1838, Mrs. Irenia (Worthington) Crenshaw, b. May 6, 1817, d. June 15, 1889, a widow with an only daughter, Calpernia Crenshaw, b. September 24, 1835; d. January 27, 1842. Edward Curd was Captain of Company G., 16th United States Infantry, Mexican War, and represented Calloway and Marshall Counties in the Kentucky Constitutional Convention of 1849-50. By his first wife he had an only daughter, who m. Judge Caldwell of Shelbyville, Ky. Circuit Judge for over thirty years.

CHILDREN BY SECOND WIFE

- 626. i. Austin Morton⁶, b. July 3, 1839; d. Oct. 22, 1840.
- 627. ii. Infant dau.⁶, b. Nov. 9, 1840; d. Nov. 22, 1840.

- 628. iii. Alonzo Brent⁶, b. Jan. 25, 1842; d. Aug. 23, 1843.
- 629. iv. John L.⁶, b. Dec. 2, 1843; d. Aug. 18, 1844.
- 630. v. G. Mary Dallas⁶, b. Sept. 16, 1844; m. Linn Boyd;
 had three children.
- 631. vi. Lucy H. B.⁶, b. July 29, 1846; m. Euclid H. Cov-
 ington; had three sons.
- 632. vii. Nancy Ellen⁶, b. May 30, 1849; d. Aug. 3, 1850.
- 633. viii. Laura A. D.⁶, b. May 6, 1851; d. Nov. 14, 1898;
 m. Oct. 20, 1868, Thomas McElrath; had two
 sons.
- 634. ix. Charles Edward⁶, b. Mar. 3, 1853; d. Paducah, Ky.,
 Nov. 26, 1897; m. Belle Ferguson; had six chil-
 dren.
- 635. x. Sarah⁶, b. May 18, 1855; m. James H. Barber;
 had two sons.
- 636. xi. William B.⁶, b. Mar. 31, 1847; d. Feb. 6, 1905;
 never married.

601. WILLIAM HARDY⁵ CURD (Edmund⁴, —³, John², Edward¹),
b. Logan Co., Ky., August 23, 1819; d. Calloway Co., Ky.,
January 18, 1894, son of Edmund Curd and Mary Grizzard;
m. (1) in Logan Co., Ky., November 26, 1840, Frances Jane
Hill; m. (2) in Todd Co., Ky., October 20, 1842, Emily Jane
Bailey, b. June 9, 1822, d. January 16, 1888, dau. of John A.
Bailey. He is buried in a cemetery located on his farm near
Murray.

CHILDREN—CURD

- 637. i. John Leland⁶, b. Aug. 13, 1843; d. Morley, Mo.,
 May 27, 1893. He was a physician.
- 638. ii. Thomas Garvin⁶, b. June 16, 1845; d. Sept. 3,
 1899; m. Laura A. Gardner, b. Apr. 7, 1849; d.
 Dec. 17, 1892, dau. of Sidney Gardner.
- 639. iii. Frances Jane⁶, b. Mar. 31, 1847; m. Nov. 30, 1865,
 J. H. Utterback. She d. Oct. 13, 1890.
- 640. iv. Edmund E.⁶, b. Aug. 7, 1848; m. (1) in Todd Co.,
 Ky., Dec. 11, 1876, Elizabeth J. Rutherford,
 dau. of Thomas Rutherford; m. (2) Gertie
 Bowman, dau. of Walker Bowman.
- 650. v. William⁶, b. Feb. 5, 1850; m. Mollie Jackson, dau.
 of Geo. Jackson.
- 651. vi. Orlando Franklin⁶, b. Oct. 20, 1851; living in 1934;
 m. Alice R. Baucom.

- 652. vii. Lanius⁶, b. Apr. 14, 1854; m. Belle Stephenson, dau. of Ben Stephenson.
- 653. viii. Manetho⁶, b. Jan. 5, 1856; d. Aug. 22, 1856.
- 654. ix. Flavius Freeman⁶, b. Nov. 28, 1857; m. Susan Marshall, dau. of William Marshall.
- 655. x. Macsimus⁶, b. July 31, 1859; d. in infancy.
- +656. xi. Jefferson Emmett⁶, b. July 2, 1861; d. Mar. 4, 1921; m. Mary Stice.
- 657. xii. Paran Ann⁶, b. Feb. 19, 1863; living 1934; m. Apr. 28, 1891, as second wife, J. H. Utterback.

602. JOEL HALL⁵ CURD (Edmund⁴, —³, John², Edward¹), b. Calloway Co., Ky., February 19, 1824; d. August 6, 1891, son of Edmund Curd and Mary Grizzard; m. Mary S. Bailey of Todd Co., Ky., b. December 5, 1829; d. June 17, 1891, dau. of John A. Bailey.

CHILDREN—CURD

- 658. i. Martha Jane⁶, b. July 10, 1848; m. Guthrie Churchill.
- 659. ii. Elizabeth Adeline⁶, b. Sept. 1850; m. Thompson Daniel.
- 660. iii. Lucius D.⁶, m. (1) Dora Thompson; m. (2) Alice Tuck.
- 661. iv. Sally B.⁶, b. Nov. 11, 1856; m. G. N. Cutchin.
- 662. v. Lula B.⁶, twin of Sally B., b. Nov. 11, 1856; m. Marsh Hayes.
- 663. vi. Hardy Hawes⁶, b. Mar. 1859; m. Ella Wilson.
- 664. vii. John Brent⁶, b. Jan. 25, 18—; m. Nannie Crouse.
- 665. viii. Ida⁶, m. P. A. Houston.

604. EDMUND G.⁵ CURD (Edmund⁴, —³, John², Edward¹), b. 1830; d. Mayfield, Ky., 1896, son of Edmund Curd and Mary Grizzard; m. (1) Martrunia (Metronia) Jones (will dated May 26, 1868, proved October 3, 1870); m. (2) Mary E. ("Puss") Gardner, b. 1848; d. 1906. He and his second wife are buried at Mayfield, Ky.

CHILDREN BY FIRST WIFE

- 666. i. Thomas E.⁶, b. abt. 1852.
- 667. ii. James Adalasker⁶ (called "Add"), b. Apr. 27, 1857; d. Aug. 12, 1912; m. Ruth Dyke.
- 668. iii. Mary Elizabeth.⁶
- 669. iv. Ella Duke.⁶

CHILD BY SECOND WIFE

670. v. Jesse⁶, b. abt. 1871; m. in Paducah, Ky., Bertie Clark.

SIXTH GENERATION

612. JAMES EDWARD⁶ CURD (Charles⁵, Edmund⁴, —³, John², Edward¹), b. August 5, 1828; d. 1913, son of Charles Curd and Sally B. Martin; m. (1) January 15, 1852, Lucy St. John; m. (2) Eliza Ann Baker. He resided in Calloway Co., Ky.

CHILD BY FIRST WIFE

671. i. Lucy Brent⁷, b. July 6, 1866; m. Dr. Hartzel.

CHILDREN BY SECOND WIFE

672. ii. Hattie⁷, b. abt. 1879; m. (1) Presley Waters; m. (2) Arthur Downey.
 673. iii. James Brent⁷, b. May 7, 1882; m. 1908, Ruth Carraway. Living at Murray, Ky., 1936.

620. DR. EDMUND BRENT⁶ CURD (Charles⁵, Edmund⁴, —³, John², Edward¹), b. Calloway Co., Ky., August 7, 1842; d. April 22, 1923, son of Charles Curd and Sally B. Martin; m. Emily Frances Felts, dau. of Warwick H. Felts. He was a physician, lived at Hazel, Ky., served four years in the Confederate army.

CHILDREN—CURD

674. i. Olga B.⁷, b. June 16, 1872; d. Aug. 9, 1890.
 675. ii. Charles Warwick⁷, b. Nov. 7, 1873; m. Minnie Dick.
 676. iii. Early Brent⁷, b. Jan. 22, 1876; d. Nov. 9, 1878.
 677. iv. Wade Hampton⁷, b. July 11, 1878; m. Lenora K. Stubblefield.
 678. v. Pinckney ("Pink") Glenn⁷, b. Feb. 23, 1885; m. Eva Thompson.

JEFFERSON EMMETT⁶ CURD (William Hardy⁵, Edmund⁴ of Calloway Co., Ky., —³, John², Edward¹), b. July 2, 1861; d. March 4, 1921, son of William H.⁵ Curd; m. Mary Stice. Jefferson Emmett Curd was living in Idaho in 1935.

CHILDREN—CURD

- 679. i. Blondell⁷, b. Jan. 13, 1892; m. J. L. Liggett.
- 680. ii. William S.⁷, b. May 18, 1893; m. Gladys Draper;
has dau., Mary Martha, b. Feb. 13, 1934.
- 681. iii. Thomas Emmett⁷, b. Feb. 14, 1896; m. and lives
in Carnegie, Okla.
- 682. iv. Otho⁷, b. Nov. 16, 1899; lives in St. Helena, Cal.
- 683. v. Lucile⁷, b. Jan. 1, 1901; m. A. M. Watson.

Group Six—Third Generation

DESCENDANTS OF JAMES³ CURD

14. JAMES³ CURD (John², Edward¹), b. Goochland Co., Va., son of John and Elizabeth Curd; m. November 20, 1766, Mary Graves; d. September 28, 1774, dau. of Ralph and Judith Graves. James died in Goochland Co., July 18, 1791, Inventory dated 1792. Douglas says that Mary Graves Curd's funeral was preached October 8, 1774; he m. (2) Sarah Puryear, a widow, who survived him.

CHILDREN—CURD

- +684. i. Jesse⁴, b. Dec. 7, 1767; m. Oct. 1, 1789, Jane Ellis, dau. of John and Susanna Ellis. They settled in Barren Co., Ky.; m. (2) May 7, 1844, Martha Saunders.
- 685. ii. Elizabeth⁴ ("Betty"), b. July 18, 1769; d. Oct. 22, 1769.
- 686. iii. Nancy⁴, b. June 12, 1774.

FOURTH GENERATION

684. JESSE⁴ CURD (James³, John², Edward¹), b. Goochland Co., Va., December 7, 1767; d. Barren Co., Ky.; m. (1) October 1, 1789, Jane Ellis, dau. of John and Susanna Ellis. He came to Kentucky and settled in Barren Co. He was Captain of a Company in the second Battalion of the Militia of Goochland Co., 1799. (Valentine Papers, Vol. 3, page 1949.) He m. (2) in Barren Co., Ky., May 7, 1844, Martha Saunders, b. 1789.

CHILDREN—CURD

- 687. i. Mary Graves⁵, b. July 10, 1791; m. 1840, William Pulliam.
- 688. ii. Susan Duval⁵, b. Nov. 29, 1792; m. 1835, John Davis.
- 689. iii. Jane Ellis⁵, b. Apr. 15, 1804.
- +690. iv. John James⁵, b. Aug. 7, 1805; d. abt. 1862; m. Mary D. H. Grubb.
- 691. v. Ann Elizabeth⁵, b. Jan. 13, 1807; m. May 14, 1835, Thomas Duke.

- +692. vi. Obadiah E.⁵, b. Mar. 24, 1808; m. (1) Aug. 11, 1831, Elizabeth (Ritter) Reynolds, a widow; m. (2) Oct. 13, 1842, Ann America Dickinson.
- 693. vii. Catherine Key⁵, b. Apr. 5, 1811; m. May 14, 1835, Anderson C. Davis.
- 694. viii. Sarah Price⁵, b. Mar. 9, 1813.
- +695. ix. Benjamin Smith⁵, b. Aug. 7, 1815; m. Jan. 24, 1843, Mary F. Saunders.

There were nine additional children who d. in infancy or early childhood.

FIFTH GENERATION

690. JOHN J.⁵ CURD (Jesse⁴, James³, John², Edward¹), b. August 7, 1805; d. abt. 1862, son of Jesse Curd and Jane Ellis; m. 1832, Mary D. H. Grubb, will dated January 22, 1851, proved August, 1862.

CHILDREN—CURD

- 696. i. Jesse Anderson⁶, b. 1833; m. 1867, Margaret Davidson. Will dated Sept. 12, 1922, says he is in his 89th year.
- 697. ii. Mary Jane.⁶
- 698. iii. Smith Ellis⁶, never married. Will dated Nov. 1, 1919, leaves property to sister "Sallie," and nieces and nephews.
- 699. iv. Sarah A. F.⁶, never married; d. abt. 1928. Will proved Feb. 19, 1929.
- 700. v. John G.⁶
- 701. vi. Susan V.⁶

692. OBADIAH E.⁵ CURD (Jesse⁴, James³, John², Edward¹), b. March 24, 1808, son of Jesse Curd and Jane Ellis; m. (1) August 11, 1831, Mrs. Elizabeth (Ritter) Reynolds, b. 1807, d. December 23, 1840, widow of William Reynolds; m. (2) October 13, 1842, Ann America Dickinson, resided in Barren Co., Ky.

CHILD BY FIRST WIFE

- 702. i. Sarah Ellen⁶, b. July 21, 1839; d. Nov. 7, 1891; m. Marshall H. Warden, b. Mar. 30, 1832; d. Sept. 20, 1902.

CHILD BY SECOND WIFE

- 703. ii. Belle Curd⁶, m. George Read.
There were probably other children.

695. BENJAMIN SMITH⁵ CURD (Jesse⁴, James³, John², Edward¹), b. August 7, 1815; d. Edmondson Co., Ky., 1861, son of Jesse Curd and Jane Ellis; m. January 24, 1843, Mary F. Saunders. His wife survived him and moved to Bowling Green, Ky., where she died about 1900. His will dated February 28, 1861, proved May 6, 1861, speaks of his children but does not give their names. The will of his widow dated September 24, 1894, proved September, 1900, names only the dau., Mattie Cook.

CHILDREN—CURD

- 704. i. Mattie D.⁶, m. P. A. Cook.
- +705. ii. Gilbert S.⁶, b. 1848; m. (1) Warren Co., Ky., Apr. 16, 1872, Mary Alice Middleton; m. (2) Dec. 6, 1882, Fanny (Hudson) Thornton, a widow who m. (3) Dan Mitchell.

SIXTH GENERATION

705 GILBERT S.⁶ CURD (Benjamin Smith⁵, Jesse⁴, James³, John², Edward¹), m. April 16, 1872, Mary Alice Middleton.

CHILDREN—CURD

- 706. i. Lizzie⁷, m. Apr. 1, 1890, Edward Allen.
- 707. ii. Nat H.⁷, b. Nov. 20, 1878; m. Apr. 23, 1906, Essie Smith, b. Mar. 22, 1885. Lives at Bowling Green, Ky.

Group Seven — Third Generation.

DESCENDANTS OF EDMUND³ CURD

18. EDMUND³ CURD (Richard², Edward¹), son of Richard Curd and Sarah Downer; m. (1) March 18, 1764, his cousin Mary Curd, dau. of John and Elizabeth Curd; m. (2) abt. 1785, Elizabeth Coghill, dau. of Thomas Coghill and his wife Elizabeth Hawes, dau. of Samuel Hawes.* Edmund Curd was captain of a company of Goochland Co., Va. Militia during the Revolution and a member of the Court Martial which tried Lieut. Colonel Jolly Parish for having enlisted a slave as a substitute in his division of the Militia. (Virginia Colonial papers, Vol. 1, p. 582.) He later removed to Kentucky with wife Elizabeth and four sons, Edward, Samuel, Spencer and William. The date of his coming to Kentucky or where he first located is not known but he must have left Virginia subsequent to 1786 and possibly as late as 1792 at which time Kentucky was admitted to the Union. January 12, 1784, he had a grant of 4625 acres of land at the Falls of the Ohio, during the period 1792-1795 he was assessed on 2312 acres on the Ohio River in Jefferson Co., and for 800 acres on Brashears Creek in Shelby Co. February 15, 1796, he purchased of John Curd (Col. John, son of Edward) of Goochland Co., Va., 1000 acres of land in Shelby Co., Ky., originally granted to Valentine Harrison in 1784; in the deed he is referred to as Edmund Curd of Fayette Co., Ky. He probably removed to Shelby Co. about this date as we find him living there shortly

*Samuel Hawes was an early settler in Caroline Co., Va. He m. Ann Spencer, reputed to be a daughter of the Hon. Nicholas Spencer. In addition to Elizabeth Hawes they were parents of Samuel Hawes, Jr., Sheriff of Caroline Co., a member of the Caroline Committee of Safety, 1774-1775, commissioned Captain 2nd Virginia Regiment Continental line, Feb. 19, 1776, and continued in service until the close of the war at which time his rank was Lieutenant-Colonel. Under appointment of Baron Steuben he served as inspector of the Virginia line Continental Army.

Elizabeth Hawes m. either Thomas Coghill or Frederick Coghill, Jr., both sons of Frederick Coghill. Rev. Thomas Wingfield, author of *Wingfield's History of Caroline County*, states that she positively was the wife of Thomas while *The Coghill Family*, by James Coghill, says she was the wife of Frederick Coghill, Jr. In *W. & M. Quarterly*, Vol. XIV, she is called Mary Hawes and her husband given as Frederick Coghill. We favor the Wingfield version. Elizabeth Coghill is called Elizabeth Crogwall in the *Douglas Register*. See *Virginia Colonial Papers*, Vols. III and VIII.

thereafter with his wife and four sons. He disposed of his Shelby Co. lands and removed to Logan Co., Ky. about 1806, where he died about 1814. See deed May 19, 1807, Edmund Curd "To my three children Samuel H. Curd, Spencer Curd, William Curd, consideration blood and affection." Book B., p. 119, Logan Co. Also agreement December 28, 1814, between Samuel H. Curd, Spencer Curd and William Curd relative to division of their father's slaves. Book D. Logan Co.

CHILDREN BY FIRST WIFE

- 708. i. Jeannie⁴, b. July 12, 1765 (*Douglas Register*).
- 709. ii. Peggy⁴, b. June 22, 1767 (*Douglas Register*).
- +710. iii. Edward⁴, b. May 20, 1769; d. 1838; m. Catherine W. Lambert; removed to Kentucky.
- 711. iv. Richard⁴, b. Feb. 23, 1771.
- 712. v. Elizabeth⁴, b. Mar. 5, 1773 (*Douglas Register*).
- 713. vi. Charles⁴, b. Feb. 18, 1777 (*Douglas Register*).

CHILDREN BY SECOND WIFE

- +714. vii. Samuel Hawes⁴, b. May 10, 1786; d. 1833; m. Aug. 29, 1810, Sally, dau. of Major John Curd.
- +715. viii. Spencer⁴, b. 1788; d. Sept. 16, 1832; m. May 9, 1812, Polly S., dau. of Major John Curd.
- +716. ix. William⁴, b. abt. 1790; m. (1) Oct. 11, 1813, Adeline Hunter; m. (2) Oct. 10, 1822, Jane A. Frazer.

FOURTH GENERATION

710. EDWARD⁴ CURD (Edmund³, Richard², Edward¹), b. Goochland Co., Va., May 20, 1769; d. Calloway Co., Ky., 1838, son of Edmund and Mary Curd; m. in Virginia, Catherine W. Lambert, dau. of Joseph Lambert, probably the Joseph Lambert who m. Jean Poore in Goochland Co., Va., October 1, 1775. We find Edward Curd of record in Hardin Co., Ky., July 4, 1804, when he and his wife signed a deed. April 1, 1807, he is called Edward Curd, Jr. of Shelby Co., Ky., and his father who was living there at the same time was called Edmund Curd Senr. We next find him in Logan Co., Ky., where he received a grant of land on May 1, 1806 and where he settled sometime during the year 1807, removing later to Calloway Co. where he died 1838. Will dated September 6, 1838, proved November, 1838, names

wife Catherine W., grandson Edward Lambert Curd and granddaughter Catherine W. Heath. We copy the following from Deed Book B., p. 109, Logan Co., Ky., November 10, 1807. "I Catey Curd, formerly Catey Lambert of Virginia, daughter of Joseph Lambert, lately deceased, appoint my true and lawful husband Edward Curd my attorney to receive my portion of my fathers estate," and mentions her son Joseph Lambert Curd. Fluvanna Co., Va., Will Book 1, page 299, Joseph Lambert wills "my whole estate both real and personal be sold" . . . the sum arising from my estate be lent to my dau. Catherine Walker Curd and at her death be given to my grandson Joseph Lambert Curd. Dated May 6, 1806.

CHILDREN—CURD

717. i. Joseph Lambert⁵, d. Logan Co., Ky., abt. 1822; m. in Logan Co., Feb. 7, 1819, Mary Ann C. Foster and had issue:
1. Edward Lambert Curd, m. in Logan Co., Jan. 8, 1849, Sarah K. Foster.
 2. Catherine W. Curd, m. in Calloway Co., Ky., May 2, 1838, John Heath.

714. SAMUEL HAWES⁴ CURD (Edmund³, Richard², Edward¹), b. Goochland Co., Va., May 10, 1786; d. in Logan Co., Ky., 1833, son of Capt. Edmund Curd and his second wife Elizabeth Coghill; m. in Logan Co., Ky., August 29, 1810, Sally Curd, dau. of Major John Curd. He was Captain of Kentucky Mounted Militia during the War of 1812. He succeeded his brother, Spencer Curd, as County Court Clerk of Logan Co.

CHILDREN—CURD

718. i. Lucy⁵, m. in Warren Co., Ky., Feb. 23, 1842, Y. C. Blakey; removed to Missouri.
719. ii. Mary S.⁵ ("Polly"), b. 1813; d. Jan. 25, 1848; m. Joseph William Morton, b. 1813; d. July 13, 1835.
720. iii. Elizabeth⁵, d. young.
721. iv. Spencer⁵, removed to Missouri; no further record.
- +722. v. Samuel H., Jr.⁵, b. Russellville, Ky., 1820; d. South Carrollton, Ky., 1895; m. (1) Mar. 12, 1849, Mary A. McNeel, b. Nov. 11, 1821, d. Jan. 10, 1850; m. (2) abt. 1851, Susan Clifford, b. 1830, d. 1905.

715. SPENCER⁴ CURD (Edmund³, Richard², Edward¹), b. Goochland Co., Va., 1788; d. Logan Co., Ky., September 16, 1832, son of Edmund Curd and Elizabeth Coghill; m. May 9, 1812, Polly Smith Curd, dau. of Major John Curd. He was County Court Clerk of Logan Co. for many years; will dated July 28, 1832, proved November 7, 1832, names wife and children.

CHILDREN—CURD

+723. i. Elizabeth Williams⁵, b. Mar. 28, 1815; d. Aug. 20, 1845; m. Nimrod Long, b. July 31, 1814; d. Apr. 24, 1887.

724. ii. William Elliott II⁵, d. 1842; m. May 25, 1841, Mary B. Lewis. No children.

725. iii. Sally Ann⁵, m. Nov. 9, 1837, Edmund H. Curd.

726. iv. Mary Lucy⁵, b. Dec. 8, 1821; d. Oct. 25, 1835.

716. WILLIAM⁴ CURD (Edmund³, Richard², Edward¹), prob. b. abt. 1790, son of Edmund Curd and his second wife Elizabeth Coghill. Came to Kentucky with his father and mother, was first in Shelby Co., removed to Logan Co. abt. 1807 or earlier; m. (1) October 11, 1813, Adeline Hunter; m. (2) October 10, 1822, Jane A. Frazer, removed to Calloway Co. abt. 1822 where he was the first County Court Clerk serving in that capacity until his death about 1833. His wife survived him and m. (2) July 11, 1836, John L. Murray who was a member of Congress for 11 years; m. (3) December 9, 1843, Solomon Marshall; m. (4) Henry Hodge. Logan Co., Ky., records, Deed Book B., page 119: "I, Edmund Curd, Sr. in consideration of blood and affection to my three children Samuel H. Curd, Spencer Curd and William Curd, etc."

CHILDREN BY FIRST WIFE

+727. i. Edmund H.⁵, b. Nov. 19, 1814; d. May 1, 1849; m. (1) Logan Co., Ky., Nov. 9, 1837, Sally Ann Curd, dau. of Spencer Curd; m. (2) in Warren Co., Ky., Feb. 12, 1846, Lucy Brent Curd, dau. of John Brent Curd.

+728. ii. James Hunter⁵, b. Dec. 14, 1816; d. Adair Co., Ky., Mar. 30, 1898; m. Elizabeth Frazer, b. July 19, 1821; d. July 16, 1902.

CHILDREN BY SECOND WIFE

+729. iii. William Walker⁵, m. Aug. 21, 1845, Delia Douglas Bradley.

730. iv. Thomas J.⁵, lived for a while in Maryland; was Cadet U. S. Military Academy, 1840; Brevet 2nd Lieut. 1st Artillery, July 1844; 2nd Lieut. 4th Artillery, June 1846; 1st Lieut., Mar. 3, 1847, resigned Dec. 4, 1847; returned to Calloway Co., where he d. Jan. 23, 1850.
731. v. Joseph⁵, was a physician and lived for a while at Dresden, Tenn.
732. vi. John⁵, b. May 31, 1829; d. Apr. 6, 1904; m. Lucy J. —, b. Mar. 21, 1831; d. Oct. 28, 1890. They are buried at Wadesboro, Ky.

FIFTH GENERATION

722. SAMUEL H.⁵ CURD, JR. (Samuel H.⁴, Edmund³, Richard², Edward¹), b. Russellville, Ky., 1820; d. South Carrollton, Ky., 1895, son of Capt. Samuel Hawes Curd and his wife Sally Curd, dau. of Major John Curd; m. (1) March 12, 1847, Mary A. McNeel, b. November 11, 1821, d. January 10, 1850; m. (2) abt. 1851, Susan Clifford, b. 1830, d. 1905. He was Captain in the Mexican War.

CHILDREN—CURD

733. i. Richard⁶, b. 1852; d. 1905; unmarried.
734. ii. Joseph⁶, b. 1853; d. 1929; m. Mary A. ("Molly") Morris and had dau., Lilly Curd.
735. iii. Samuel⁶, b. 1855; d. 1881; m. Belle Clifford; had issue:
 1. Maud Curd.
 2. Brent Curd.
736. iv. Mary Bell⁶, b. 1862; m. G. M. York; no issue.
737. v. William E.⁶, b. 1864; m. Belle (Clifford) Curd, widow of his brother Samuel Curd; had issue:
 1. Ora Curd.
 2. Gayle Curd.
 3. Clytus Curd, killed in action in France during the World War.
738. vi. Clayton S.⁶, b. 1868; m. Otha E. Shaver; has dau., Margaret Curd.
739. vii. Fannie Mathis⁶, b. 1870; d. 1907; unmarried.

723. ELIZABETH WILLIAMS⁵ CURD (Spencer⁴, Edmund³, Richard², Edward¹), b. March 28, 1815; d. August 20, 1845, dau. of Spencer and Polly Smith Curd; m. Nimrod Long.

CHILDREN—LONG

- i. John S.⁶, lived and d. in Louisville, Ky.
- ii. Spencer Curd⁶, m. in Georgetown, Ky., Miss Gano. Had issue.
- iii. Mary⁶, m. Richard Hall; lived in Louisville, Ky.
- iv. Sarah⁶, m. a Mr. Hooper and lived in Nashville, Tenn.
- v. Mary Lucy⁶, b. Dec. 18, 1821; d. 1835.

727. EDMUND H.⁵ CURD (William⁴, Edmund³, Richard², Edward¹), b. Logan Co., Ky., November 19, 1814; d. Calloway Co., Ky., May 1, 1849, son of William Curd and Adeline M. Hunter; m. (1) Logan Co., Ky., November 9, 1837, Sally Ann Curd, dau. of Spencer Curd; m. (2) in Warren Co., Ky., February 12, 1846, Lucy Brent Curd, b. September 6, 1826, d. May 1, 1861, dau. of John Brent Curd. She m. (2) R. L. Ellison by whom she had Sallie A. Ellison (m. J. H. Sale), Thomas B. Ellison and Mary T. Ellison. Edmund H. Curd was elected County Court Clerk of Calloway Co., Ky., in 1835 and served in that capacity until his death. He and his first wife are buried in the rear of a residence on West Main St. in Murray, Ky.

CHILD BY FIRST WIFE

- 740.** i. William Spencer⁶, b. Oct. 16, 1841; d. June 2, 1845.

CHILDREN BY SECOND WIFE

- 741.** ii. John E.⁶, b. abt. Mar. 18, 1847; d. Oct. 23, 1873; unmarried.
- 742.** iii. Edmund H., Jr.⁶, m. Miss Jones of Calloway Co., Ky.; removed to Texas.

728. JAMES HUNTER⁵ CURD (William⁴, Edmund³, Richard², Edward¹), b. Logan Co., Ky., December 14, 1816; d. March 30, 1898, son of William Curd and Adeline Hunter; m. Elizabeth Frazer, b. July 19, 1821; d. Adair Co., July 16, 1902. James and his wife are buried at Columbia, Adair Co., Ky.

CHILDREN—CURD

- 743.** i. James William⁶, b. Apr. 3, 1843; d. Apr. 14, 1864; buried Mt. Pleasant, Calloway Co., Ky.
- 744.** ii. Adeline M.⁶, b. Aug. 8, 1845; d. abt. July 27, 1875; buried Martin's Chapel, Calloway Co.

- 745. iii. Dr. Thomas Henry⁶, b. Jan. 3, 1848; d. Louisville, Ky., Jan. 25, 1930; buried Cave Hill Cemetery; m. Mollie Moses.
- 746. iv. Ann Jane⁶, b. Apr. 12, 1850.
- 747. v. Richard⁶, b. Aug. 25, 1852; d. July 27, 1897; m. and has issue.
- 748. vi. Catherine Ellen⁶, b. Aug. 18, 1854; m. Marmaduke Golladay Sale. She was living in 1934.
- 749. vii. Henrietta⁶, b. Dec. 12, 1856; d. Sept. 17, —; m. W. R. Carter; lived in Arkansas.
- 750. viii. Elizabeth ("Betty")⁶, b. Mar. 4, 1865.

729. WILLIAM WALKER⁵ CURD (William⁴, Edmund³, Richard², Edward¹), son of William Curd and his second wife Jane A. Frazer, b. in Logan Co., Ky., removed to Calloway Co., Ky., where he m. August 21, 1845, Delia Douglas Bradley, dau. of R. O. Bradley.

CHILDREN—CURD

They had six children, four daughters and two sons. We find record of only two of the daughters.

- 751. i. Martha Elnora⁶, b. Oct. 12, — (Bible record, year of birth not given).
- +752. ii. Douglas Gray⁶, b. Apr. 4, —, possibly 1867 (Bible record, year of birth not given); d. Apr. 11, 1917; m. Jennie Stagner, dau. of Isaac Stagner.
- 753. iii. Blanche Lee⁶, b. June 19, 1871; d. Nov. 26, 1873 (g. s. record).
- 754. iv. Thomas H.⁶, d. Sept. 8, 1933; m. Edna Faircloth. They had three sons:
 - 1. Whitney.
 - 2. Winfred.
 - 3. Edward.

SIXTH GENERATION

752. DOUGLAS GRAY⁶ CURD (William Walker⁵, William⁴, Edmund³, Richard², Edward¹), son of William Walker Curd and his wife Delia Douglas Bradley. He d. April 11, 1917; m. Jennie Stagner, dau. of Isaac Stagner. His widow living at Memphis, Tenn., 1935.

CHILDREN—CURD

755. i. Douglas Gray⁷, Jr., b. May 22, 1899; m. Elizabeth Love Quillan. They were living in Texas, 1935.
756. ii. Olga⁷, b. Oct. 6, 1907; m. D. D. Pafford.
757. iii. Mary Elizabeth⁷, b. Apr. 4, 1910; living at Memphis, Tenn., 1935.
758. iv. Paul Jennings⁷, b. Jan. 17, 1913; m. Mary Sue Pridmore. They were living in Texas, 1935.

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RICHARD CURD FAMILY

of East Tennessee and North Georgia. Ancestry Undertermined

759. RICHARD⁵ CURD, b. near Wytheville, Va., April 6, 1797. At the age of fifteen years he ran away from home and enlisted in the War of 1812*. After the war he settled in East Tennessee where on December 30, 1823, he purchased 167 acres of land in Roane Co., settling near Lenoir City now in Loudon Co., where he m. (1) Miss Eldredge. He later removed to McMinn Co., locating on a farm near Athens, Tenn. He m. (2) in McMinn Co., December 13, 1842, Susan Peck. He d. August 10, 1845. His widow Susan, d. February 1900. It is said he had two brothers who also saw service in the War of 1812.

CHILDREN BY FIRST WIFE

- 760. i. Evelyn⁶, m. W. P. ("Pink") Copeland; had six children.
- 761. ii. Eliza⁶, m. Squire John North. Had six children.
- +762. iii. Benjamin⁶, m. Ann Eldredge in Tennessee; removed to Georgia.
- 763. iv. Mary⁶, m. George W. Longley.
- +764. v. Joseph A.⁶, m. Easter Minerva Mathis; lived in Polk Co., Tenn.; removed to Georgia.

CHILD BY SECOND WIFE

- +765. vi. James H.⁶, b. Feb. 22, 1844; d. May 11, 1920; m. May 17, 1870, Drucinda A. Cooper, dau. of Thomas and Clarissa Cooper.
Benjamin, Mary and Joseph are called minors Oct. 18, 1847, and are named in the above order in court records. The other two children by first wife were m. prior to the death of their father which occurred Aug. 10, 1845. His inventory is dated Oct. 9, 1845.

*Statement of Joseph Burton Curd of Tellico Plains, Tenn., 1935.

SIXTH GENERATION

762. BENJAMIN⁶ CURD, son of Richard Curd and Miss Eldredge, removed from East Tennessee to Murray Co., Ga., settling at Springplace. He m. in Tennessee, Ann Eldredge. He enlisted in the Confederate Army and was killed in action at the first battle of Manassas.

CHILDREN—CURD

- +766. i. John Alexander⁷, lived for a while at Dalton, Ga.; removed to Ragland, Ala., where he m. (1) Fanny Summerford, who d. abt. 1913. He m. (2) a year later—name of wife not known. He d. shortly after his second marriage, leaving his second wife a widow without issue.
- 767. ii. Jefferson ("Jeff")⁷, lived at Ragland, Ala.
- 768. iii. Elizabeth⁷, b. abt. 1855; living at Springplace, Ga., 1935, aged 80 years; m. Charles McKinney; had two children:
 - 1. Ethel, m. Arthur Clayton.
 - 2. John.
- 769. iv. Annie⁷, b. abt. 1860; living at Springplace, Ga., 1935, aged 75 years; m. James Dixon; no issue.

764. JOSEPH A.⁶ CURD, son of Richard Curd and his wife Miss Eldredge, removed from East Tennessee to Murray Co., Ga., where he d. July 8, 1897, aged 59 years; m. Easter Minerva Mathis who d. September 3, 1880, aged 40 years, 3 months. He enlisted in the Confederate Army at the outbreak of the war between the states and served to the end. He later settled at Crandall, Ga.

CHILDREN—CURD

- 770. i. Onie Jane⁷, b. July 12, 1861; d. Nov. 23, 1924. Never married.
- 771. ii. Mary Alice⁷, b. June 10, 1865; d. Oct. 26, 1913. Never married.
- 772. iii. Elijah⁷, b. Dec. 25, 1869; living 1935. Never married.
- 773. iv. Thomas Wesley⁷, b. May 26, 1871; m. Oct. 9, 1892, Julia Orr; living 1935 at Bolton, Tex.
- 774. v. Minnie⁷, b. Nov. 3, 1873; living 1935. Never married.
- 775. vi. Joseph⁷, b. May 14, 1875; d. Jan. 25, 1934.

776. vii. James Lee⁷, b. May 31, 1880; living 1935. Never married.

765. JAMES H.⁶ CURD (Richard of Wytheville, Va.), b. February 22, 1844; d. May 11, 1920, son of Richard Curd and his second wife Susan Peck; m. May 17, 1870, Drucinda A. Cooper.

CHILDREN—CURD

777. i. Joseph Burton⁷, b. Mar. 17, 1872. Never married.
 778. ii. Mary Lois⁷, b. Sept. 14, 1873.
 779. iii. Thomas Cooper⁷, b. Nov. 25, 1875; m. Sept. 17, 1901, Janie McGehee Connors; had two sons:
 1. Thomas Cooper, Jr., b. Dec. 20, 1902; living in Chicago, Ill.
 780. iv. Buena Vista⁷, b. Oct. 21, 1877; m. Dec. 13, 1900, Edward Thomas Leslie.
 781. v. Susan Clarissa⁷, b. Sept. 29, 1879; living 1935, single.
 782. vi. Margaret E.⁷, b. June 26, 1882; living 1935, single.
 783. vii. Jamie Clarinda⁷, b. Oct. 1885; m. Apr. 26, 1917, Augustus L. Ensley. No issue.

SEVENTH GENERATION

766. JOHN ALEXANDER⁷ CURD, son of Benjamin Curd of Springplace, Ga., m. (1) Fanny Summerford, the mother of his children; the name of his second wife is not known. He lived for a while at Dalton, Ga., then removed to Ragland, Ala., where he d. about 1916.

CHILDREN—CURD

784. i. Joe.⁸
 785. ii. Daisy.⁸
 786. iii. John, Jr.⁸
 787. iv. Lawrence.⁸
 788. v. Claude.⁸
 789. vi. James⁸ (Elliott?).
 790. vii. Robert Clifford⁸, lives at Ragland, Ala.

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ABRAHAM F. CURD

OF EAST TENNESSEE

SIXTH GENERATION

791. ABRAHAM F.⁶ CURD, lived in East Tennessee "somewhere between Lenoir City and Knoxville." His parentage is unknown to his children. He m. (1) Eliza Stephens; m. (2) Chloe Delaney of Scott Co., Va.; m. (3) Senia Price who was living at Rossville, Ga., 1935.

CHILDREN—CURD

- 792. i. William⁷, m. Minnie Allen; was living on a farm somewhere near Sweetwater, Tenn., in 1935.
- 793. ii. John Henry⁷, m. (1) Elizabeth Kirkland; m. (2) Mary Galloway; living at Rossville, Ga., 1935.
- 794. iii. James Albert⁷, m. Sarah Holcomb; living in Bradley Co., Tenn., 1935.
- 795. iv. Moses Godfrey⁷, m. Elsie Cassady; living at Rossville, Ga., 1935.
- 796. v. Lucy Frances⁷, m. Robert Chambers; living at Rossville, Ga., 1935.
- 797. vi. Sherman⁷, m. (1) Marie Dedman; m. (2) Cora Sprayberry.

There were in addition four daughters who d. young, making ten children in all.

JAMES CURD. The census of 1790 shows a James Curd with wife and two children living in Stokes Co., N. C. Nothing further is known of this family. This James was possibly ancestor of Richard and Abraham Curd of East Tennessee.

WILLIAM CURD. A Will Curd of Roane Co., Tenn. was plaintiff before the Circuit Court at Knoxville, October 11, 1869, v. s. Thomas Shinpaugh and was given a verdict for \$500.00 damages.

ELISHA CURD. Was a member of Capt. Benjamin Bates' command, Vermont Militia, during the Revolution. His name appears on a payroll "of such of the Alarm Company in Pownal as marched to Castleton in the Alarm in October 1781, with Capt. Benjamin Bates." This roll is dated Bennington, January 11, 1782, and shows that he entered the service October 15, and that he was in service 9 days, travelled 70 miles. No further record is found of Elisha nor any record of descendants. He evidently is not related to the Virginia Curds.

RICHARD CURD. March 15, 1658 Mr. Gerrard Fowlkes and Mr. Henry Corbin were given a grant of 3000 acres in Potomek freshes for transportation of sixty persons to Virginia, one of whom was Richard Curd. Cavaliers and Pioneers Vol. 1, page 388. We find no further reference to this Richard Curd. He possibly was a relative of Edward of Henrico and may have been an ancestor.

John Price Immigrant Ancestor

OF HENRICO CO., VA.

The following record of John Price, immigrant ancestor, who settled at Charles City, Va., later removing to Curl's Neck, Henrico Co., Va., differs in several respects from what has until recently been accepted as the correct record of his descendants.

We find nothing in the record to show that he had a first wife Mary, supposed to have been killed in the Jamestown massacre of 1622, nor that he was the father of William Price who was living at College land in 1623, nor father of Matthew Price who came to Virginia in the "George" in 1635. He had a son Matthew born about 1626, who probably died without issue, as the children heretofore credited to him were children of his brother John, born about 1627-28.

Alexander Brown in his history of Virginia, entitled "First Republic in America," says that John Price came to Virginia with Sir Thomas Dale in the ship "Starr," May, 1611. He is supposed to have been born in Wales in 1584, and died in Virginia in September 1628, therefore 27 years of age when he came to Virginia. The list of those "Living and Dead" in Virginia, February 16, 1623, shows John Price and wife living at "Neck of Land," no children listed. The muster of Charles City, January 24, 1624/5, lists John Price age 40, came in the "Starr" May—. Ann, his wife, age 21, came in the Bonaventure August, 1620, child Mary, age three months, evidently the first child. John Price and Ann married 1620-22. Ann was not the dau. of Samuel Matthews of Jamestown, she came to Virginia two years before the arrival of Samuel Matthews.

When other records are lost or destroyed we often find it expedient in tracing genealogy to turn to land records, showing the transfer and descent of land. These prove quite illuminating in the present instance and fortunately we also find a will which definitely names the grandchildren of John Price the first. There were several John Prices in Henrico in the early days and without consulting the land records it is difficult to distinguish one from

the other. Following is the record of John Price, of Charles City, Curl's neck, Turkey Island and Henrico:

JOHN PRICE, immigrant ancestor, b. Wales 1584 came to Virginia in the "Starr" May, 1611*, settled in the "neck of land" Charles City; m. 1620-22 Anne, surname unknown, b. 1603-04, came to Virginia in the Bonaventure August 1620. John Price died 1628 and Anne m. (2) Robert Hallom who also came on the Bonaventure in 1620. She m. (3) Daniel Llewellyn who came to Va. from Chelmsford, Essex, England about 1642.

CHILDREN

- i. Mary², b. 1624.
- ii. Matthew², b. abt. 1626; d. without issue. His estate descended to his nephews Daniel and John Price.
- iii. John², b. abt. 1627. Name of wife unknown.

SECOND GENERATION

JOHN PRICE, b. abt. 1627; d. prior to 1662, son of John and Anne Price. Name of wife unknown.

CHILDREN

- i. Daniel³, m. Susanna, dau. of Giles Carter and his wife, Hannah Crews. Susanna m. (2) Thomas Williamson.
- ii. John³, m. Jane, dau. of Henry Pugh and his wife Jane Womack.

THIRD GENERATION

DANIEL³ PRICE (John², John¹), b. abt. 1650?; d. 1692, date of his will; m. Susanna Carter, dau. of Giles Carter and his wife Hannah Crews, niece of James Crews and possibly granddaughter of Daniel Llewellyn, Susanna m. (2) Thomas Williamson. Susanna was admx. of estate of Daniel and in 1696, William Sewell and Thomas Carter were securities for the estate and volunteered care of Daniel's orphans. The records indicate that Daniel had an only son Daniel, Jr., to live to maturity, he received his inheritance in 1714.

*The "Starr" sailed from Land's End, England, Mar. 27, 1611, and anchored off Point Comfort, Va., May 22, 1611. Hotten says John Price came in the "Starr" in May but does not give the year.

FOURTH GENERATION

DANIEL⁴ PRICE (Daniel³, John², John¹), son of Daniel Price and Susanna Carter; m. Mary, surname unknown. He settled in the Chickahominy river section of Henrico Co., where he was active in the affairs of the community. Will dated February 21, 1767, proved March 7, 1770, witnessed by Richard Williamson (Daniel's half-brother), Thomas Watkins and Joseph Wodden, names the five children below and grandchildren, Ann Curd, Jesse Oglesby and Elizabeth Harwood.

CHILDREN

- i. John.
- ii. Daniel.
- iii. William.
- iv. Elizabeth, m. (1) John Curd; m. (2) Richard Oglesby.
- v. Hannah, m. Thomas Harwood.

REFERENCES

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Will of John Rowen.

William and Mary Quarterly, Vol. XIV, pp. 207-210.

IN 1619 JOHN¹ PRICE received large grants of land in the Curl's Neck section of Henrico Co., Va., where we later find the noted plantations, "Curles," home of Nathaniel Bacon, the determined rebel of 1676; "Bremo," home of the immigrant Richard Cocke; and "Turkey Island," home of the immigrant William Randolph. After the Virginia Indian massacre of 1622 John Price became a man of importance in the Virginia settlement, but his early death in 1628 is responsible for the few definite records we have of his activities. Turning to the land grant books of Henrico County we find many items of value to those interested in his history altho his grants were made at too early a date to be recorded in Virginia.

March 6th. 1636 Richard Cocke received a grant for 3,000 acres of land in the upper part of Curl's Neck, part of which became the noted "Bremo" plantation, on the east it adjoined the land of John Price and of "Turkey Island," later the property

of Anne Hallom widow first of John Price and second of Robert Hallom, still later to become the home of William Randolph; and on the west "Curles" the home of Nathaniel Bacon. The bounds of the 3,000 acre grant were as follows:

Easterly upon land granted by patent unto John Price being now in tenure and occupation of Robert Hallom (Robert Hallom was the second husband of Anne Price, widow of John Price), thence extending westerly upon the land of Thomas Harris, southerly upon the Maine River and northerly into the woods. (Patent Book I, part 1, p. 413.)

It seems however that Richard Cocke was not allowed to have undisturbed possession of this land, for he was compelled by law to give up 1,000 acres of it and on March 10, 1639, was granted a second patent for 2,000 acres; with regards to which it is said in the patent:

Two thousand acres of land situate, lying and being formerly granted unto him, the said Richard Cocke by patent dated the eighth of March, anno 1636, one thousand acres of which was surrendered into court unto Anne Hallom widow of Robert Hallom deceased. (Patent Book I, part 2, p. 707.)

and there is record of a patent dated May 6, 1638, for 1,000 acres of land in Henrico County granted to Anne Hallom widow first of John Price and second of Robert Hallom, which land is described as follows:

One thousand acres of land lying and being in the County of Henrico, lying north and by east upon the river, west by north towards Bremo joining the land of Mr Richard Cocke, east by south towards Turkey Island Creek joining upon the land of John Price, running two hundred and fiftie poles by the river side and twoe miles into the woods (Patent Book I, part 2, p 547.)

This is the land later known as "Turkey Island," the home of William Randolph. We also find a patent granted May 23, 1638, to Matthew Price "Son and Heire of John Price" for 150 acres of land on Turkey Island Creek in Henrico County and later known as "Turkey Island Point" bounds of which ran—

East by south upon the said Creek, west by north towards Bremo, south by west upon the land granted by patent to his late father John Price, now in possession of his mother Ann Hallom Widowe —being due unto him the said Matthew Price in

right of his said father John Price who had a patent granted unto him and his heirs by Sir George Yeardley Kt. bearing date 20 February anno 1619. Too early a date to be recorded in Virginia. (Patent Book I, part 2, p. 558.)

This grant shows the land was regranted to Matthew Price when he became 12 years of age, the balance of the John Price land still in the possession of his mother the widow Hallom. This grant led genealogists to believe that Matthew was the only son of John Price and therefore father of Daniel (3) and John (3) who later came into possession of this land, but the will of John Rowen, 1662, shows that there was a younger son John who later came into possession of the Price land held by his mother and that this John was the father of Daniel and John, and since they inherited the 150 acre grant of their Uncle Matthew, it is assumed that Matthew died without issue.

Robert and Ann Hallom had three children:

- i. Anne, m. John Gundry and had son, John Gundry, Jr.
- ii. Sarah, m. Samuel Woodward and had son, Samuel, Jr.
- iii. Robert Hallom, Jr.

The foregoing is proven by the following deeds and grants October 18, 1681, Deed Benjamin Hatcher of Henrico Co. to John Pleasants of same.—“All that plantation of my father William Hatcher which land was by him purchased of Daniel and John Price anno 1677 lying in Henrico County and bounding upwards unto the land of Samuel Wood-ward and down into Turkey Island Creeke containing 150 acres and now in possession of said Benjamin Hatcher and called by name Turkey Island Point,” Deed Book 1, page 186. This is the land granted to Matthew Price, May 23, 1638, and shows its descent to his nephews Daniel and John Price.

Synopsis of Will of John Rowen

May 1, 1662

After making bequests to his brother Henry Rowen, his nephew John Rowen (son of Henry) and to his son Henry Rowen,

the will states: "I will likewise that my said brother shall have the bringing up of the two sonnes of the deceased John Price and the manageing of there estates and that hee will hereafter, when age of discretion shall be in them, to the utmost of his ability, teach or gett them to be taught to rite and read, in the meanwhile to bring them up in the fear of God. I doe give and bequeath unto the said two orphans Daniel and John Price one feather bed, rugge, bolster and blanket, the bed being that which they lye on and the rugge of a blue colour."

He also makes bequest to Giles Carter.

Witnessed by Richard Carter, William Fisher and Margaret Crews.

The Watkins Family

Henry Watkins of Henrico Co., Va., presumably the immigrant ancestor* was b. in 1638. He was a Quaker and member of the Society of Friends, a fact that caused him at times to clash with the ruling authorities in Virginia. In the list of heads of families in Henrico County, 1679, he is listed as head of family with three tithables and shown as living in the vicinity of Turkey Island.† In 1679 he received a patent for 170 acres of land on the north side of James River in Henrico Co. adjoining land of John Lewis, Mr. Cocke and Mr. Beauchamp, and touching the "three runs" of Turkey Island Creek (patent book 7, p. 17). In July 1690 he purchased of Lyonel Morris 360 acres of land in Varina parish, Henrico Co., on the south side of Chickahominy Swamp, and in October of the same year he patented 60 acres of land "adjoining his own land and touching a run of Turkey Island Creek." In 1699 he subscribed 500 pounds of tobacco towards building the Friends meetinghouse at Curls and in 1703 he paid 50 pounds of tobacco towards furnishing the building. He was the father of at least seven children and in 1692 deeded his land in Henrico to his five sons. To William, Joseph and Edward he deeded each 120 acres of land on the south side of Chickahominy Swamp, to Henry the "tract of land on which his father then lived" acreage not given, and to Thomas 200 acres on the "three runs." We quote from William Clayton Torrence, "Beginnings of the families of Henrico," as follows:

One of the most interesting families in Virginia from the point of view of economic, social and political development is the distinguished family of which Henry Watkins is the immigrant ancestor.

CHILDREN

- i. William², possibly the William Watkins who was living in Chesterfield Co. before 1745 and was sheriff there 1748.

*There was an earlier Henry Watkins in Virginia who probably came with Sir Thomas Dale in 1611. He was living on the eastern shore in 1623 and was a Burgess 1624-25. No connection is shown between the two Henrys.

†*W. & M. Quarterly*, Vol. XXIV, p. 131.

- ii. Joseph², d. in Henrico Co. on Oct. 5, 1725. The Henrico Court ordered that the Church Wardens bind out his orphans.
- iii. Edward², settled in Cumberland Co. where he d. 1771, at an advanced age.
- iv. Henry, Jr.², d. in Henrico, 1714-15, leaving a wife, Mary (possibly Mary Crisp), and sons John, Benjamin, Joseph, Henry and Stephen. Will dated Nov. 15, 1714, proved Feb. 1714/15. Mary, his widow, m. (2) Edward Mosby.
- v. Thomas², removed to Cumberland Co., where he became a man of substantial means and is known to history as "Thomas Watkins of Swift Creek." Will dated Mar. 4, 1760, proved June 20, 1760. He is the ancestor of many noted Americans.
- vi. Elizabeth², possibly m. John Bottomley, for in 1692, Henry Watkins, Sr., made gift of a heifer to John Bottomley's daughter Elizabeth. This gift was made at the same time he deeded land to his sons. This daughter was the young girl who at the age of sixteen defied the Henrico Court stating that she would not "swear" to a deposition but would "affirm" to its truthfulness, all that a Quakeress could conscientiously do.
- vii. Mary², m. 1701, Nicholas Hutchins.

SECOND GENERATION

Edward² Watkins removed from Henrico to Cumberland Co. where he became a large land owner. Will dated June 21, 1765, proved March 25, 1771, names seven children. September 14, 1764, he deeds to his son John "all that tract or parcel of land whereon he now lives, situated on the south side of Swift Creek in Cumberland Co. . . . also my water grist mill standing on said creek Also a tract of land I purchased of Thomas More in Cumberland Co. on the branch of Butterwood Creek, containing 200 acres also a tract of land I purchased of George Renyer Turner, situate on Swift Creek in Chesterfield Co. Also six negro slaves." June 21, 1765, he deeds to son Edward "all that tract or parcel of land on the waters of Butterwood Creek including the plantation whereon I live, containing eight hundred and fifty acres. Also twelve negro slaves." On June 21, 1765, he deeds to son Thomas "all that tract of land whereon he now lives in the County of Henrico, it being the

land given me by my father." In his will, Edward also leaves to his son Thomas "What ready money I shall die possessed of or is due me after my just debts are all paid and satisfied."

CHILDREN

Listed in order named in will.

- i. John.³
- ii. Elizabeth³, d. before 1765; m. John Clay; had sons Sir John Clay* and Edward Clay.
- iii. A dau.³, m. Francis Moseley.
- iv. Mary³, m. an Anderson, possibly Jordan Anderson.
- v. Judith³, m. (1) a Bass; m. (2) John Clay, whose first wife was Elizabeth Watkins above.
- vi. Edward.³
- vii. Thomas³, removed to Henrico Co.

THIRD GENERATION

THOMAS³ WATKINS, son of Edward², settled in the Chickahominy section of Henrico Co. as did also his cousin Thomas, son of "Thomas of Swift Creek." Thomas, son of Edward, was first known as "Thomas of Chickahominy," while the other Thomas was known as "Thomas Watkins of Bottoms Bridge" but has come down in history as "Thomas of Chickahominy," probably due largely to the "Watkins pamphlet," published by F. N. Watkins in 1899 and which was compiled in 1852. As far as known, Thomas, son of Edward, had only two children, daughters.

- i. Elizabeth⁴, m. William Smith; removed to Goochland Co., Va.
- ii. Mary⁴, m. William Curd; removed to Buckingham Co., Va.

On September 2, 1765, Thomas Watkins deeded to his two daughters, Elizabeth and Mary, 400 acres of land lying in Chesterfield and Cumberland Cos. which he had purchased of Ezekiel Slaughter in 1759, and after his death, which occurred prior to 1788, his landed estate in Henrico Co. was divided equally by lot between Elizabeth Smith and Mary Curd, "Elizabeth Smith and Mary Curd being daughters and co-heirs of said Thomas Watkins."

*Sir John Clay also called Rev. John Clay, m. Elizabeth Hudson; they were the parents of Henry Clay, the noted Statesman.

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